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Queen Anne Mahogany 54-inch Pedestal Dining Table, 8 feet extension with aprons on two leaves, 5 Cane Back Chairs and 1 Arm Chair in brown leather, 7 pieces.....	202.00	145.00
William and Mary Mahogany Oblong Dining Table, 8 feet extension with aprons on two leaves, 5 Chairs and 1 Arm Chair in brown leather, 7 pieces.....	157.00	117.00
Chippendale Mahogany Sideboard.....	100.00	65.00
William and Mary Walnut Serving Table.....	30.00	18.00
William and Mary Brown Mahogany Dining Room Suite: Oval Table, 8 feet extension, with aprons on two leaves; Sideboard, China Cabinet and 6 Cane Back Chairs with blue leather seats, 9 pieces.....	324.00	200.00
Solid Black Walnut Renaissance Linen Chest.....	215.00	150.00
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Ivory Enameled Louis XVI. Chest of Drawers with glass top		93.00	60.
Louis XVI. Ivory Enameled Dresser		79.00	60.

William and Mary Mahogany Dressing Table.....	65.00
Brown Mahogany Queen Anne Dressing Table.....	30.00
Queen Anne Mahogany Dresser.....	75.00
Walnut Bureau with hanging mirror.....	132.50
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Large Easy Rocker to match.....	28.00
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**March Plans
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Washington, D. C., March 14. — Gen. March, adj. Gen. of the Army, today announced that he expects to make a personal inspection of the troops in the United States in the future. He said that he had been asked to make such a tour, but that he had declined the offer. He said that he had been asked to make such a tour, but that he had declined the offer.

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Warns Against Invasion; Backs Cossack Chief in Siberia.

BULLETIN.
LONDON, March 12.—"According to reports from Tokio," says a dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Tien Tsin, dated Monday, "an important dispatch from London regarding Siberia caused an immediate meeting of the foreign advisory council. It is expected that a reply to the dispatch will be sent following the premier's report to the emperor."

LONDON, March 11, Monday.—The Chinese commander at Harbin, Manchuria, has warned the leader of the Bolshevik forces in Siberia that the invasion of Chinese territory will be considered an act of war, according to Harbin advices under Saturday's date forwarded by Reuters' Peking correspondent.

Cossacks have arrested the Bolshevik leader at Blagoveshchensk, capital of Amur province, and have disarmed the Bolshevik forces there.

Backs Bolshevik's Foes.
Reuters Limited, Shanghai correspondent, in a dispatch dated last Saturday, says the Irkutsk Bolsheviks telegraphed the Chinese authorities at a Manchuria border station that there was no intention to show unfriendliness toward China, and that the Bolshevik forces were only attacking the rebel general, Semenov.

The dispatch adds that the Chinese replied that China's relations with Russia had not been impaired, the Chinese were unable to consider Gen. Semenov a rebel.

A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Tien Tsin, sent last Saturday, says it was reported unofficially from Tokio that negotiations were going on between the Japanese and Siberian governments and that the Japanese newspapers considered the situation acute.

Japan Still Undecided.
Japan has not yet come to a decision regarding the dispatch of troops to Siberia, Premier Terauchi declared in reply to a question in the house of representatives, according to a Reuters dispatch from Shanghai carrying Tokio news under date of March 9.

Japan's foreign minister, Motono, replied to a question in the diet, declared that no request that troops be sent to Siberia had been received from Japan's allies. An exchange of views, he said, was proceeding.

The opposition leader favored the sending of troops, but expressed the fear that the presence of Japanese in Siberia might drive Russia toward Germany, unless the greatest precautions were taken.

To Start Parliament Debate.
The subject of Japan's intervention in Siberia is to be raised in the house of commons by H. B. Lees-Smith, member for Northampton, when A. J. Balfour, secretary for foreign affairs, is expected to reply.

On the same day the pacifists will initiate a debate on Mr. Balfour's reply to the German chancellor's last speech.

Bolshevik Foe Retreats.
HARBIN, Manchuria, March 12.—Gen. Semenov, the anti-Bolshevik leader in Siberia, has retreated into Manchuria before the advance of a superior Bolshevik force, according to advices from the border.

The accuracy of the Bolshevik fire during the fighting is taken to indicate the cooperation of former German prisoners.

Gen. Semenov brought his dead and wounded with him in his retreat, and a supporter of the detachment are to leave Harbin tonight. Gen. Semenov's munitions are reported exhausted, as well as the funds at his disposal.

Situation Grows Worse.
Officials of the allies at Harbin agree that the situation in Siberia is growing worse. Every plan proposed for the mobilization of conditions meets with opposition or apathy, they say, while 10 per cent of the railway workmen in Manchuria are now Bolshevik in affiliation, whereas a month ago the percentage was insignificant.

Yesterday the workmen refused to haul guns and trains to the aid of the Japanese. Loyal Cossacks, however, forced the movement of the trains.

Reliable observers have found that there is a wide-spread pro-German propaganda, with speech making by Bolshevik traitors, among the workmen, with never a word of a pro-ally nature.

The growth of Bolshevism is said to be due in a measure to fear of the Japanese, with disbelief in the sincerity of American friendship as another factor.

Conflicting reports have reached Harbin regarding the plans of the American, Japanese, and other ambassadors now at Yologda. The ambassadors were expected in Vladivostok about March 14, it has been understood here, but a rumor that they were being detained by the Bolsheviks has been current.

March Plans to Inspect All Troops in U. S. Camps
Washington, D. C., March 12.—Major Gen. March, acting chief of staff, plans to make a personal inspection of all troops in the United States in the near future. He said today he expected to see all the men before they go over.

War Work Boosters Will Hold Convention
The Military Training Camps association, composed of graduates of the camps and citizens devoted to national service, will hold a national convention at the Hotel La Salle March 15 and 16. It has branches in 1,800 cities and headquarters in Chicago.

UNIFORM? ONLY IN BEAUTY

As for Standard Garb, Nay, Nay; the Junior Leaguers Want to Dress as Their Own Sweet Will Dictates.



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ELIZABETH FARWELL, GLADYS HIGH, MARION STROBEL, ISABELLA HOLT, BETTIE HOYT, SYLVIA SHAW, MRS. AMBROSE CRAMER.

FINN PREMIER FLEES TO BERLIN TO ESCAPE REDS

Offer of Sweden to Mediate Refused by the Rebels.

PETROGRAD, Monday, March 11.—In consequence of the departure of the government commissioners to Moscow, a special Petrograd military revolutionary committee of seven members has been formed, with Leon Trotsky as president. Another committee of ten members, representing the council of commissioners, also will be formed, with M. Zinovief, a Lenin adherent, as president.

The neutral legations have decided to remain in Petrograd.

The Germans advancing on Odessa are meeting with determined resistance along the Siobodka-Transenka line. The typhus epidemic in Petrograd is increasing.

The anathema against the Bolsheviks pronounced by Dr. Tikhon, patriarch of all Russia and metropolitan of Moscow, was read in all the churches Sunday. Reports received here say that Austria is isolating all prisoners of war who have returned in order to prevent propaganda.

Finland's Premier Flees.
LONDON, March 12.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Copenhagen, dated Monday, says:

"The Finnish premier, Judge Svinhufvud, has arrived in Berlin, having made his escape from Helsinki, where it is reported the Red Guards now have moved their headquarters to the Sveaborg fortress, indicating that they are unable to defend the capital."

M. Lindhagen, the mayor of Stockholm, who is in Helsinki, reports that the Red guards have rejected mediation by Sweden."

Put Red Cross Flag on Ships.
A Russian wireless statement has been received here, signed by M. Tikhon, who for a time was held in prison in England for circulating seditious propaganda and was later reported to have become Bolshevik commissioner for foreign affairs. The message was addressed to the German, Austro-Hungarian, Bulgarian, and Turkish governments and read:

"In the Baltic the Russian transport ships Rusk, Nitava, Pallada, Merkury, Lakh, Okean, Diana, and Zhushah have been placed under the Red Cross flag and will be used exclusively in that service."

Fleet Is Cowed.
The whole Russian Baltic fleet is lying at Helsinki, Finland, the Petrograd correspondent of the Times cables, but the crews have melted away, only a watch being left for each ship. The dreadnaughts will soon sail for Kronstadt, but the remainder of the fleet will remain in Finland.

The correspondent also states that all movable articles from the cruisers Aurora and Diana, lying in the Neva river on which Petrograd is situated, have been carried away by sailors.

(The Aurora and Diana are sister ships of 6,731 tons displacement, built in 1895.)

Bolshevik Menace Norway.
STOCKHOLM, March 11.—The Norwegian government is sending the cruiser Frithof to Tromsø, with a landing party, according to a Christiania dispatch to the Dagens Nyheter.

Its action, the message states, is taken in view of the spread of Bolshevik revolutionary agitation among the fishermen in the extreme north of Norway, who desire a closer connection with northern Russia. A large meeting for discussion of this subject is said to have been arranged.

The Red Guard continues more violent in their activities, according to a dispatch to the Tidningen from Vasa, Finland.

"They are proceeding in quite a deliberate manner, adds the dispatch, 'choosing their victims from among the intellectual classes, assassinating principally the clergy and landed proprietors. All the agricultural commissioners except one have been killed.'"

Uniform? No, indeed. The Junior League of Chicago refuses to be uniformed. Miss Isabella Holt, president of the league, said yesterday that the question of a Junior League uniform had been brought up at the last meeting of the league by Mrs. Arthur Ryerson, who brought news of a wonderful serge one worth \$100 and now to be had for \$30. The uniform subject was also discussed informally among the girls yesterday at their meeting at the Casino club.

"When I first heard about it," Miss Holt said, "my impulse was to laugh. It just seems funny to me. They say the girls in New York have adopted it to encourage thrift—a war costume. I am sure we could never get our members in Chicago to wear uniforms. I think it's too much like a boarding school or an orphan asylum scheme. Of course, if you are doing a very definite piece of work as an organization and uniforms make it any easier, all right, but I don't see the need of them for the Junior League."

When the point was raised that the uniforms would encourage simplicity in dress Miss Holt jumped on that. "We don't influence the styles of other girls in Chicago," she declared. "If it did there wouldn't be so many white topped boots in evidence."

The matter may be brought up again at a later meeting, it was stated, but this is not probable. Mrs. Ryerson, who first brought up the question of the uniform, is now out of town and it is thought that the matter will be resuscitated after the killing arguments brought out at the last meeting.

JUGO-SLAV PLEA TO AUSTRIA FOR PEACE REVEALED

Washington, D. C., March 12.—Copies of a manifesto submitted to the Austrian Reichsrath by Dr. Anton Korshetz, signed by thirty-five Jugoslav deputies, demanding immediate peace on the basis of the right of peoples to self-determination and the creation of an independent Jugoslav state, were made public here tonight by the official Serbian press bureau.

The document, suppressed in Austria, is said to have been brought to Washington by "indirect means." It opens with a protest against the refusal of the government to permit representatives of the oppressed nationalities of the dual monarchy to participate in the Brest-Litovsk peace conference and a denunciation of the persecution of Jugoslavians, who are declared to have been slain by tens of thousands without provocation.

"The so-called constitutions offered by the monarchy as affording the possibility of further development of the peoples are a farce," the manifesto says. "In reality these very constitutions in the hands of the German and Magyar in their organized oppression of the proletariat peoples."

German Democracy Idea Spread to Other Cities.
Karl Methle, secretary of the Friends of the German Democracy, has returned from Kansas City, where he spent last Sunday afternoon, to representatives of all German organizations of the city at the German club under the auspices of the American Citizenship association.

This association was formerly the Kansas City branch of the German-American National alliance, but upon recent revelations of the anti-American activities of the alliance, it withdrew from that organization.

This association also is fostering the starting of a branch of the Friends of German Democracy in Kansas City. Other branches of the organization are springing up rapidly, including one at Eau Claire, Wis.

U. S. Likely to Take Express Companies Next
Washington, D. C., March 12.—Government control probably will be extended shortly to the leading express companies, it was officially intimated today at the railroad administration. The companies that would be affected are the Adams, American, Wells-Fargo, Southern, Great Northern, Northern, Canadian, and Western.

U-Boat Damage Fails to Stop American Ship
A FRENCH PORT, Sunday, March 10.—[Delayed.]—An American steamship, formerly a German vessel, arrived here today with its bridge smashed and a shell hole through a smoke stack as a result of an encounter with a submarine.

War Savings Campaign Plan to Be Told at Banquet

At a great banquet of the war savings campaign, to be held in the ball room at the Hotel La Salle tomorrow evening, and at which an attendance of 2,000 is expected, the aims of the societies will be set forth by Harrison B. Riley, federal director; national war savings committee, and Alfred J. Benson, chairman of the Illinois state committee.

No less than two score of the leading financiers of Chicago, representing the bankers, the Illinois Manufacturers' association, and the Chicago Association of Commerce, have accepted invitations to the big "thrill" dinner. Other speakers of note will be Charles W. Whitehair, famed as a successful Y. M. C. A. war worker, and Dr. Shailer Mathews.

Lucius Teter, president of the Chicago Association of Commerce, will officiate as toastmaster.

Ferris Heads Democratic Congressional Committee
Washington, D. C., March 12.—[Special.]—Congressman Scott Ferris of Oklahoma was elected chairman of the Democratic congressional committee, succeeding Congressman Frank E. Doremus of Michigan at a meeting in the capitol tonight. Congressman Doremus refused to accept reelection. Congressman Logan of Connecticut was elected secretary to succeed Congressman Scully of New Jersey, resigned.

MAN, 65, IS ASPHYXIATED.
William Langridge, 65 years old, was found dead in the kitchen of a home, where he had been living, 1140 Maple Avenue, Evanston, last night, apparently a suicide by gas. Langridge was a retired inspector of engines for the Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad.

DUTY TO WIN WAR, WARNING OF ARCHBISHOP
Boston, Mass., March 12.—The Most Rev. Cosmo Gordon Lang, archbishop of York, was given a typical American college cheer when he appeared before the student body of Massachusetts Institute of Technology today.

In his address the archbishop said the time would come in the distant future when the biggest men of Germany would come to America to learn what is best not only in science but in other things, just as in times past the country had sent her scholars to Germany to study.

"This is a war of brains," he said. "Our first necessity is to beat the Germans. Mere words will not suffice to change the attitude of mind of the German. It is up to you to put every ounce of power and muscle and brain to the test."

To the United States naval aviators training at technology the archbishop emphasized the importance of airplanes in the war, saying:

"You men are the pioneers in a new field and in a field which perhaps more than any other branch of the service can uphold its ideals of clean and fair fighting."

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SENATE PASSES HUGE WAR BILL; HITS FOE IN U. S.

\$1,180,000,000 Measure Authorizes Sale of Enemy Property.

Washington, D. C., March 12.—With its legislative riders authorizing sale of all enemy property in the United States and purchase by the government of the German owned wharves at Hoboken, N. J., the urgent deficiency appropriation bill, carrying \$1,180,000,000, was passed late today by the senate without a record vote. It already has passed the house and now goes to conference.

Of the appropriations, which are largely for the army and navy, \$73,000,000 was added by the senate. This addition, with the amendments for disposition of the enemy property, are yet to be accepted by the house. The senate eliminated committee amendment suspending tariff duties on army material.

Reimbursement to men and nurses in the military service for private property lost is provided for in another amendment, attached to the measure to expedite relief for men losing their effects in the torpedoing of the steamer Tusculum.

Main Senate Increases.
Principal appropriations in the bill as increased by the senate include:

ARMY.
Supplies.....\$ 28,358,000
Transportation.....125,000,000
Storage and shipping facilities.....150,000,000
Barracks and quarters.....67,350,000
Military posts, water, sewer systems.....24,000,000
Hospitals.....21,370,000
Engineer field operations.....70,000,000
Ordnance stores.....297,000,000
Ordnance manufacturing and purchase.....24,000,000
Artillery.....114,000,000
Temporary office building.....5,775,000
Additional employees.....4,470,000

NAVY.
Ordnance.....\$ 10,000,000
Washington gun factory.....5,499,000
Yards and docks.....6,144,000
Hospital construction.....7,750,000
Training camps.....12,000,000
Ordnance stations.....2,500,000
Other important appropriations include: Fuel and food administration, \$1,750,000; war trade board, \$1,018,000; state department emergencies, \$300,000; bureau of risk insurance, \$1,537,000; and enforcement of the espionage act, \$300,000.

Reed in Losing Fight.
Senator Reed, Democrat, of Missouri, today made a long but futile fight to strike out the appropriation for the food and fuel administration.

A \$10,000,000 fund for purchase and sale of nitrate of soda to farmers is made a revolving fund by an amendment adopted by the senate. Under this amendment the proceeds of the sale of nitrate of soda will be reinvested in additional supplies during the continuance of the war.

The department of agriculture has received orders for the appropriation under this fund from nearly all western states and is filling them rapidly.

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17 Year Old U. S. Aviator Safe, but Foe Prisoner
Westbury, N. Y., March 12.—A cablegram received here from France today stated that Thomas Hitchcock, a 17 years old member of the Lafayette Escadrille, who had been reported missing, was known to be a prisoner of the Germans, but unharmed. The message came to the boy's father, Thomas Hitchcock of this town, from a relative serving with the French army. He left St. Paul's school last June to enter service.

57 New York Restaurants Closed for Day by Hoover
New York, March 12.—Fifty-seven restaurants and lunchrooms, whose proprietors have confessed to ignoring food regulations, were closed today by order of local food administrators with the approval of Herbert Hoover, the national administrator. The places will remain closed until midnight tonight.

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OVERSEAS CASUALTIES

WASHINGTON, D. C., March 12.—Today's casualty list issued by the war department gives the names of Lieut. Edward McClure Peters Jr., and seven enlisted men killed in action, one dead from wounds, six dead from disease, two dead from undetermined causes, two severely wounded in action, and Capt. Edward Steller and twenty men slightly wounded.

The privates killed in action were: Wm. H. Darling, Robert Kotouch, Wm. J. De Lisle, James E. Potts, Michael Galvin, Charles W. Sutter, Edward J. Kelly.

Private Alexander B. Burns died of wounds.

Those who died of disease were: Cadet Engineer Frank L. Adkins, Wm. Bolnap, Roy Wm. Bracklin, Wagner Samuel, Wilson C. Cochran, Barnett, Charlie Johnson.

Corporal Leroy H. Crossley and Private James M. Lyons died from undetermined causes.

Private Joe Tylus and Corporal Russell A. Yarnall were wounded severely. The men wounded slightly are:

Sergeant Joseph Clyde A. Gwin, Petrush, James C. Hanson, Sergeant William Robt. E. Hilliard, F. Rees, Earl Howard.

Corporal Frederick Henry W. Janssen, Massey, James A. Mahner, Bugler Milton H. Goe, C. Mattox, Herbert Beaver, Maurice Proctor, Henry E. Brown, David M. Reid, James H. Burns, Clinton A. Rhoads, Thomas Cardello, George Sharp.

The deaths of Privates Thomas G. Bragg, Joe D. Brakfield, Frank T. Cockrell, Edwin L. Fitch, George E. Hovey, Fred R. McGill, and George S. Sanford, previously listed as having occurred in action, are now reported as resulting from accidents.

ALLIES NOW ARE AT FITTEST, SAYS FRENCH OFFICER
Armies of France and England were never stronger, never better equipped, never in finer health or better morale, said Maj. L. C. Eckenfelder of the French army, speaking under the auspices of the State Council of Defense at the Masonic temple, Sixty-fourth street and Woodlawn avenue, last night. Sharing the hostess with Jacob M. Dickinson, former secretary of war, he declared, "Germany can never win."

He fired some personal shots at the "demagogues of the French army," persons more German than American, who tell American mothers that disease, immorality, and drunkenness is rampant in France.

The major showed the ease with which he is becoming accustomed to the United States by referring to the state of Frederick the Great in Washington, D. C., as in honor of "that big stuff."

Seek Chicago Socialist Who Spread I.W.W. Tracts
Omaha, Neb., March 12.—[Special.]—Harry Ginsberg, Chicago Socialist, is sought by federal authorities on a charge of violating the espionage act. Ginsberg was the chief speaker at a meeting last Sunday afternoon to celebrate the first anniversary of the Russian revolution. His sentiments were opposed by loyal Americans. At an evening meeting addressed by Ginsberg I. W. W. literature was distributed. The United States district attorney calls it incendiary.

17 Year Old U. S. Aviator Safe, but Foe Prisoner
Westbury, N. Y., March 12.—A cablegram received here from France today stated that Thomas Hitchcock, a 17 years old member of the Lafayette Escadrille, who had been reported missing, was known to be a prisoner of the Germans, but unharmed. The message came to the boy's father, Thomas Hitchcock of this town, from a relative serving with the French army. He left St. Paul's school last June to enter service.

57 New York Restaurants Closed for Day by Hoover
New York, March 12.—Fifty-seven restaurants and lunchrooms, whose proprietors have confessed to ignoring food regulations, were closed today by order of local food administrators with the approval of Herbert Hoover, the national administrator. The places will remain closed until midnight tonight.

FOR HOARSENESS AND SORE THROAT
You can get welcome relief by using Brown's Bronchial Trochees. Sold in boxes—Adv.

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CALL 95,000 FOR
ARMY; 800,000
MORE GO SOON

Crowder Orders the First
Draft Filled; Tells the
Plans of New One.

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era's statement says. "The number that will be assumed as a basis for computation will be 800,000, which is well within the authorization of clause 4 of section 1 of the selective service act of a second increment of 500,000 men, increased by the recruit training units authorized by clause 5 of said section 1 and by the special and technical troops authorized by section 2 of said act. It cannot now be announced what the total number to be called to the colors each month will be, but it may be stated that no more men will be called than are necessary to be accommodated and promptly assimilated.

"There are difficulties confronting the nation in the supply of labor appurtenant to agriculture. Class 1, from which new levies are to be withdrawn, will contain many more men than are at present required for the army. It would be a most unscientific and fatuous step if the men in class 1, from which new levies are to be withdrawn, were to be called to the colors.

"Therefore the local boards will be directed to fill their quotas in the order of liability of men in class 1 as determined by the national drawing, except that where it is shown that a registrant is completely and assiduously engaged in the planting, cultivation, or reaping of a crop his call to the colors shall be deferred to the foot of the quota of his board as long as he continues to be so engaged.

"Idlers Must Enter Army.
"Whenever any registrant whose call to the colors has been deferred by reason of his engagement in agriculture is shown to have been idle on the farm on which he is engaged, or to have trifled with the deferment that has been accorded him, the boards will forthwith induct him into military service if his order number has been reached in the meantime.

"There is now pending before congress a bill authorizing the secretary of war to grant furloughs, with or without pay, to men in the army to enable them to engage in industrial and agricultural pursuits.

"As to further means to protect agriculture a new regulation has been promulgated authorizing agricultural students in their senior year in land grant colleges to enlist in the enlisted reserve corps of the quartermaster's department, provided their class standing is such as to place them in the upper third of their class. By this means it will be possible to defer the draft call of such young men in order to enable them to perfect themselves as agriculturists and thereafter to protect them in such services as it may seem that they should perform in the best interests of the nation.

"A War of Mechanics.
"The whole industrial and agricultural situation is being subjected to a very comprehensive study in order to discover any means that may be taken to protect and augment the labor supply appurtenant to industry and agriculture without precluding the prompt and orderly progress of our military plans. It is confidently believed that great progress can be made along this line and that more effective measures than any yet devised can be put into operation to attain the desired end.

"It must be emphasized that this is a war of mechanics. The need of the several armed forces for men highly skilled in technical and mechanical pursuits is greater than in any former war. Yet this need for specially skilled men finds the nation under a necessity for increasing its production in almost every line of industry. Withdrawals of men from industry must be made and these withdrawals must take men who might otherwise be deferred on account of their special qualifications and skill.

"How Men Will Be Picked.
"The necessary numbers of such skilled men will be obtained in one of three ways.
"FIRST—Men already in the military service who have such special skill will be taken from the line regiments and assigned to the staff organizations and departments where their skill is needed.

"SECOND—Men classified by the selection boards, even though they may have been placed in a deferred classification, will be withdrawn with great care and particularly from the industries of the nation for special service in staff corps and departments.

"THIRD—Young men of draft age with certain educational qualifications will be inducted into the service and sent to universities, colleges, and technical and secondary schools to be instructed in technical arts until they have acquired such proficiency as will justify their assignment to the special units that are being organized in considerable numbers.

Under the call for the additional 95,000 men of the first draft the apportionment by states follows:
Alabama 5,634 Nevada 72
Arizona 148 New Hampshire 212
Arkansas 1,541 New Jersey 4,375
California 1,745 New Mexico 127
Colorado 223 New York 12,288
Connecticut 903 North Carolina 5,174
Delaware 308 North Dakota 2,647
Dist. of Columbia 1,029 Ohio 6,655
Florida 2,500 Oklahoma 598
Georgia 5,923 Oregon 369
Idaho 543 Pennsylvania 7,828
Illinois 5,961 Rhode Island 301
Indiana 2,977 South Carolina 345
Iowa 587 South Dakota 226
Kentucky 1,651 Tennessee 2,753
Louisiana 3,072 Texas 5,945
Maine 340 Utah 247
Maryland 385 Vermont 156
Massachusetts 2,069 Virginia 2,178
Michigan 5,558 Washington 638
Minnesota 2,320 West Virginia 1,514
Missouri 1,170 Wisconsin 3,314
Montana 621 Wyoming 134
Nebraska 450

The Negro troops are to be scattered among the following camps:
Devon, Massachusetts; Meade, Maryland; Gordon, Georgia; Zachary Taylor, Kentucky; Grant, Illinois; Pike, Arkansas; Dodge, Iowa; Funston, Kansas; and Travis, Texas.

OFFICIAL WAR REPORTS

FRENCH FRONT

BRITISH.
LONDON, March 12.—This morning, after a heavy bombardment, a large hostile raiding party attacked Forts grise positions southeast of Laventie on a front of about 700 yards. The raid was completely repulsed.
The hostile infantry was caught by machine gun fire from the front and on both flanks and suffered heavy losses, both when endeavoring to cross our wire and when retreating through our artillery barrage. Many dead or wounded Germans were seen in No Man's land. Several prisoners remained in the hands of the Portuguese.
One of our posts east of Zonnebeke was raided by the enemy early this morning. A few of our men are missing. Hostile raids attempted at the same hour against three of our posts south of this point were successfully repulsed.

There was some artillery activity on both sides today at different points between Havincourt and the Scarpe. The hostile artillery also has been active southwest of La Bassée and against back areas in the neighborhood of Vierstraat, south of Ypres, and in the Paschendale sector.

DAY STATEMENT.
Australian troops carried out successful raids during the night upon hostile posts east and northeast of Messines. A number of Germans were killed and a few prisoners were taken by us. Our casualties were light.
The artillery was active on both sides during the night southeast of Arrmentieres and east and northeast of Ypres.

AVIATION.
Three observation balloons were destroyed by our airplanes on Friday. Five German machines were downed in aerial fighting, seven were driven down out of control, and one was brought down by infantry fire. Four of our machines are missing.

More than 40 bombs were dropped on the Menin, Roulers, Ledeghegh and Solesmes railway stations.

FRENCH.
PARIS, March 12.—Heavy artillery fighting occurred in front of La Pompe and in the region of Avocourt.

In Lorraine we repulsed a strong raid in the region of Moncel. The enemy suffered severe losses and left ten prisoners, including one officer, in our hands.

On the remainder of the front the night was calm.

GERMAN.
BERLIN, March 12.—The enemy artillery developed lively activity in the

early morning at many points, especially between the Lys and the Scarpe. In the evening the artillery duel was frequently revived. There were minor infantry engagements at positions opposing each other.
The British artillery was directed against villages in the rear and claimed numerous victims among the French population. Cambrai also received several shots of the heaviest caliber.
Elsewhere nothing new occurred.

BELGIAN.
PARIS, March 11.—[Delayed.]—In a successful raid north of Dixmude we took a number of prisoners.
Well placed batteries enabled us to check two enemy attacks against our advanced posts, one north of Dixmude, the other in the direction of St. George's. These failures prompted the enemy to open a heavy artillery fire, especially with gas shells, but our artillery held his batteries in check.

PARIS AIR RAID

GERMAN.
BERLIN, March 12.—In retaliation for enemy aerial attacks on March 9 and 10 on Stuttgart, Esslingen, Dauterbach, and Mainz our aviators last night copiously and successfully bombed Paris.

FRENCH.
PARIS, March 12.—According to the first news, nearly sixty enemy airplanes succeeded in crossing our lines. Thanks to the curtain fire which our artillery maintained throughout the raid with great intensity, a number of the machines failed to reach their objectives. Nevertheless numerous bombs were dropped on Paris and its suburbs. Several buildings were demolished and took fire.

PALESTINE FRONT

BRITISH.
LONDON, March 12.—On Sunday night and Monday a further advance was made astride the Jerusalem-Nabulus road. Considerable casualties were inflicted upon the enemy and several machine guns were captured. Unfavorable weather prevented air co-operation.

Unarmed Irish Ship Sunk; U-Boat Shells Rescuers

LONDON, March 12.—The unarmed Irish schooner Nanny Wignall was torpedoed and sunk by a submarine, it was announced today. The submarine shelled survivors who were picking up their comrades from the sea.

BOARDS READY HERE FOR CALL ON SECOND DRAFT

Thousand from Chicago to Start Leaving on March 29.

The announcement sent out from Washington yesterday by Provost Marshal Gen. Crowder that 95,000 men are to be called for duty March 29 came as welcome news to men in Chicago who are subject to the second draft. They feel that it means they soon will be in training.

Among the local exemption boards the news did not cause much of a flurry. Most of them have completed the physical examinations of the men in class one and all that remains is to summon them and get them on board the trains.

Thousand from Chicago.
Of the 1,961 men which Illinois will be called on to furnish, about 1,000 will be supplied by Chicago. If divided evenly among the eighty-six local divisions each will have to supply about twelve men.

Each of the local boards sent five automobile mechanics and one chauffeur, 518 men in all, to Kelly field, Houston, Tex., yesterday. The chauffeurs will drive the cars of the aviation training camp, while the mechanics will keep the automobile and airplane engines in repair. The men were given the chance to volunteer and did so.

Tolman in Draft Charge.
Maj. Edgar B. Tolman, who was recalled from the retired list last Friday and placed in general charge of the draft in Chicago, has established his headquarters in the office of district

GIRL KILLED ON WAY TO SCHOOL

While returning to school with her sister after lunch yesterday afternoon Mary Borelli, 7 years old, was run over and killed by an automobile.



She was second oldest of five children of Harry Borelli, a mechanic, who lives at 2041 West North avenue.

They were crossing an alley near North avenue and Le Moyne streets when the automobile, driven by Louis Weisberg, 1250 South Morgan street, backed up and ran over the younger girl. She was killed instantly. The chauffeur was placed under arrest pending a coroner's inquest.

appeal board No. 1, Room 712, 112 West Adams. He will deal only with such cases as are referred to him by local exemption and district appeal boards and by the adjutant general's office.

House Bill Would Hang Convicted German Spies

Washington, D. C., March 12.—All German spies convicted in American courts would be hanged by the provisions of a resolution introduced in the house today by Representative Kelly of Pennsylvania.

PICK SEVEN HERE TO TELL GOTHAM OF PATRIOTISM

Seven men have been selected for the exchange lectures on patriotism before the teachers of New York next week. Five New York speakers will come here to talk to the Chicago teachers.

The Chicago teachers are Prof. Andrew C. McLaughlin and Prof. Theodore G. Soares of the University of Chicago; Clarence Darrow, Judge Marcus Kavanagh, Dr. John Dill Robertson, commissioner of health; Franklin H. Hall of Northwestern university, and Dr. W. A. Evans, health editor of THE TRIBUNE.

Every teacher in the New York system will hear all of the Chicago speakers, and the same will be true in Chicago of the New York speakers. The object of the lectures is to help the teachers in giving children patriotic instruction.

The men who will come to Chicago are Dr. Talcott Williams, dean of the Pulitzer School of Journalism of Columbia university; Thomas W. Churchill, an attorney, who was for many years president of the board of education of New York; Job E. Hedges, an attorney; Dr. Isaac Lanning, pastor of the Presbyterian church of Ridgeway, N. Y., and Dr. Robert M. McElroy, educational director of the National Security league.

In Chicago, the meetings of the teachers will be held in the Hyde Park, Harrison Technical, Lake View, and Sean High schools and the Sabín school.

Report Death of Spanish Ambassador to France

LONDON, March 12.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Paris says it is reported in the French capital that the Marquis Del Muni, Spanish ambassador to France, is dead at Biarritz.

Fernando Leon y Castillo, Marquis Del Muni, has been Spain's ambassador to France for a number of years. He tendered his resignation as ambassador last year, but the Spanish government declined to accept it.



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New silks in the first of fashion, wool fabrics of soft, rich weaves, cottons from the looms of many lands, make of this occasion an event of varied interest.

The advent of Easter further emphasizes the opportunity for selection afforded by this event.

Second Floor, North.

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AND COMPANY**

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"SYSTEM has been a real inspiration and help to me and my associates in The Kaynee Company," says president L. H. Hays.

Frederick W. Gardner, chairman of the board of the Bucks Stove and Range Company, said: "I get a lot of help and a lot of inspiration, as well, out of each issue of SYSTEM, the Magazine of Business."

"There is an atmospheric quality to SYSTEM that is quite as important as the concrete things one may glean from its pages," declares John R. Freuler, president of the Mutual Film Corporation.

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STOCK OFFICIALS NOT COMPETENT, STOCKMAN SAYS

Senate Committee Hears
Criticism of Cotton
and Durand.

(BY A STAFF CORRESPONDENT.)

Washington, D. C., March 12.—[Special.]—Edward F. Keifer, livestock commission merchant in Chicago, told the senate agricultural committee today that prices for agricultural products were indirectly fixed by the food administration at secret conference with middlemen.

Mr. Keifer gave the committee a list of resolutions adopted at a meeting of livestock producers from middle and western states last Friday, which condemned the indirect influence of the food administration as a price fixing as disastrous to the stock prices on the basis of actual production was demanded.

Mr. Keifer was asked by Senator Gore of Iowa if he had any indication of any influencing of the price of the food administration through the packers.

Tells of Conference.

"Yes, sir," Mr. Keifer replied. "We had a conference at Chicago last Friday. Prof. Durand of the food administration was present.

"It was declared by one stock raiser that the food administration sent word to the packers that they had undertaken to stabilize the cattle market and arranged with one of the allied unions to take a supply of beef for several days. On account of this order there would be a larger demand for the kind of beef than usual. But the government admonished the packers not to advance the market and if they did they would be held responsible."

"Who made that statement?" Senator Gore asked.

"It came from the food administration's office in Chicago. There was a note to the public, printed in the Chicago Herald, addressed to Cudahy Co.," was the reply.

"Did Mr. Durand offer any comment on that?" Senator Wadsworth asked.

"He did," Mr. Keifer said. "He did deny the allegation, but he declared that it was only for thirty days and that it was not to be taken seriously."

Charge of Incompetency.

In referring to the resolutions Senator Keifer said: "I would say to you that when they speak of the 'secret conference' and of 'these prices being fixed by men who do not know anything about stock business'?"

"It was my understanding that men in the Chicago office of the food administration and the packers held the secret conference. The food administration, handled by a man who is not competent," replied Mr. Keifer.

"You refer to Mr. Durand?" asked Senator Norris.

"Mr. Durand, yes, sir."

"What about Mr. Cotton? Would he be satisfactory?" asked the Nebraska senator.

"No, sir. The same objection would be made against him," was the reply. "Neither one of them is a practical stock man."

Opposes "Mindless Days."

Asked by Senator Gore what the food administration has done to discourage feeders, Mr. Keifer said:

"They have taken away the demand for the beef by the introduction of the meatless day. The packers in a conference with us last December declared their domestic demand had decreased 50 per cent on account of the meatless days and the advice of the food administration to eat less meat."

"Was there any dearth of available cattle that would justify the necessity of meatless days?" Senator Gore asked.

"Not in my opinion," was the reply.

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TRIPLETS START AS PATRIOTS

Each Possessor of War Savings Certificate on First Day in World.



Father—Sam Rudy
Lester, Sylvia and
Blanche Rudy.
Nurse—Mrs. Bessie
Weinzimmer.

Thwacking the kaiser having become the chief endeavor of all America, there are three reasons why international interest now attaches to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rudy, 443 Sigel street. Reading from right to left, they are Lester, Sylvia, Blanche, all one day old.

They're going to help win the war by setting an example of pa-

triotic thrift. For isn't each one of them the owner of a \$5 war savings stamp certificate? He (and she) is. Lloyd D. Waddell, chairman of the war savings committee for Cook county, presented each of them with a certificate on behalf of Uncle Sam as soon as he heard of their arrival in Chicago.

And while a photographer of THE TRIBUNE was snapping Mr.

Rudy in the act of learning his first lesson in bouncing a baby on either knee, a telegram came from Washington that President Wilson wished "to congratulate Mr. and Mrs. Rudy and the little Rudys."

"You can say I'm the happiest man in America," said Mr. Rudy. They have been married three years.

WILSON SENDS IROQUOIS CLUB NOTE OF REGRET

President Latham of the Iroquois club yesterday received a letter from President Wilson in reply to the invitation to the president to speak on the anniversary of the birthday of Thomas Jefferson. The letter presents a slight light into the active life which the president leads. It follows in part:

"I wish most unaffectedly that it were possible for me to look forward to the pleasure of addressing the club on that occasion, but if you could be with me here from day to day I am sure you would realize how clearly it is my duty not to withdraw from daily attention to my duties here unless it is obviously my public duty to do so. I am sure that the club will understand my scruple in the matter, and I beg to assure them that I none the less warmly appreciate their generous kindness. Cordially and sincerely yours,

WOODROW WILSON."

The club has invited Ignace Jan Paderewski to speak on March 20 on

Poland and has asked Secretary McAdoo to come to Chicago April 6 to start the campaign for the third Liberty loan. The club promises to arrange a big meeting at which the secretary may address the public.

Fred Liebrandt, Deputy Under Sheriff Pease, Dead

Fred Liebrandt, 74 years old, 3825 South Wells street, died yesterday as the result of an operation. He had been deputy sheriff under Sheriff James Pease and for years prior to that was constable in the old local justice courts. Recently he had been employed at the Lincoln State bank.

Rhine Song Rouses Ire; Singer Will Recover

Carl Brandtella, 2546 West North avenue, goose-stepped into the saloon of Joseph Sarritello, 411 Plymouth place, and burst into song. He did not burst far. As the strains struck the Sicilian ear of Sig. Sarritello the smile faded from his face and the glass of beer he was drawing dropped to the floor. The title of the song was "Die Wacht am Rhine." Mr. Sarritello leaped over the mahogany and the song ceased. Herr Brandtella will appear in the South Clark street court as soon as he recovers.

NEGLIGENT PARENTS FINED.
Four mothers and nine fathers were fined \$20 and costs each yesterday by Judge William N. Gemmill for failure to send their children to school.

REED ATTACKS HOOVER REGIME AS EXTRAVAGANT

Senate, However, Rejects
His Move to Cut
Appropriation.

Washington, D. C., March 12.—Charges of gross extravagance in the management of the affairs of the food investigation were made in the senate today by Senator Reed of Missouri, who demanded that Food Administrator Hoover give an accounting of the department's finances.

The charges were made after the Missouri senator had asked that the appropriation of \$1,750,000 for the food and fuel administration be eliminated from the president's emergency fund.

After a three hour speech, however, the senate rejected Mr. Reed's amendment striking out the appropriation.

Asks About Unpaid Bills.

Senator Reed said that since the food administration was created \$5,610,000 had been appropriated for it, and besides that it had received \$440,000 from the president's emergency fund.

Testimony before the house committee, he pointed out, showed that out of the amount appropriated \$1,985,429 had been expended, while incumbrances totaled \$2,724,571.

"I am curious to know why these bills have not been paid and reported to congress," Senator Reed said.

Failure to pay existing bills and make a complete report to congress is a violation of the law under which the food administration was founded, he said.

"The next thing I want to call attention to," he said, "is the fact that this food administration has large sources of income, the collection and disposal of which the country is entitled to know about."

Sensor Reed said he wanted to know what became of the \$12,000,000 paid into the grain corporation organized by the department.

Monthly Reports Cited.

Monthly reports of the food administration's expenditures were cited in detail by Senator Reed.

"For the purpose of providing more wheat and pork for our allies we've expended \$7,811 for moving picture slides," he said. "I've seen some that did nobody any good, but always advertised the food administration."

An item of \$13,000 for "medallions," Senator Reed said, was a "mystery only understood by the inner circle."

"A medallion—how many soldiers would it feed in France, how many ships would it build?" he cried. "Many, many thousands of dollars," he added, "were spent on automobiles."

Fixing of prices by the food administration was attacked by Senator Reed, who declared no such powers were given in the food control bill. He said Mr. Hoover told the senate agriculture committee when he appeared before it in connection with the food bill that the measure contained no provision for price fixing, but the measure barely would it feed in France, how many ships would it build?" he cried. "Many, many thousands of dollars," he added, "were spent on automobiles."

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FOOD FOR TEUTONS

Foes Receive 1,386,000 Tons of Grain from Roumania Since Occupation of That Country.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Since the occupation of Roumania, Germany has received from that territory 630,000 tons of grain, including corn, and Austria-Hungary 756,000 tons. This statement is made in a dispatch from the official Wolff bureau, dated Berlin and published in the German newspapers of Jan. 30, which have been received here.

Apparently the dispatch was sent out to meet misleading reports regarding the available supplies from the occupied portions of Roumania and Italy. The dispatch says:

"As regards Italy, exportation of foodstuffs and fodder cannot be reckoned with, as the supplies available there are no longer sufficient to feed the Italian population. From Roumania, since the occupation, Germany has received 630,000 and Austria-Hungary 756,000 tons of grain, including corn.

For the correct appreciation of these figures it is necessary to consider that the ratio of population of Germany and Austria-Hungary is as 7 to 5 and that in peace times Germany must import 5,500,000 tons of grain, including corn.

While Austria-Hungary has no imports worth mentioning of these articles. The remaining supplies of raw materials and products of the soil of the occupied Roumanian and Italian regions are allotted to Germany and Austria-Hungary according to the principle that each one of the countries receives that which it needs most urgently."

Becker Granted Change of Venue from Judge Scanlan

Frances Becker, Twenty-first ward Thompson lieutenant, who is to go to trial soon charged with collecting tribute for vice privileges, was granted a change of venue from the court of Judge Scanlan yesterday.

Becker a few days ago convinced Judge Scanlan they were school mates at Notre Dame university in 1880.

MILK FAMINE IN SIGHT AS PEACE PARLEYS VANISH

W. E. Lamb, attorney for the milk division of the food administration, was unable yesterday to get managers of condensaries together for a conference to settle the latest dispute over the price to be paid to dairymen. While Mr. Lamb was trying to arrange a parley, producers, condensaries and distributors were reported to be preparing for a finish fight, threatening the most stringent milk tie-up Chicago has ever experienced.

Several of the smaller distributors took the lead yesterday by refusing to pay \$2.10 per hundredweight to the dairymen, and it is said the larger dealers are preparing to follow their example unless they are permitted to charge 18 cents a quart in Chicago.

Editors are being made to delay the clash until after the return of Harry A. Wheeler, now in Washington conferring with Mr. Hoover. Mr. Wheeler has called a meeting of the opposed interests of the milk industry for Saturday. Some of the dealers have taken the stand that conditions are intolerable and have refused to continue under the present plan.

Condensaries have said privately that they will close their plants before they will pay \$2.10 or any other price higher than their rivals outside the Chicago district have to pay.

Meanest Man Is Found;
He Stole Red Cross Kit

"When all the rest of us are sacrificing for the boys in France it certainly strikes me as about the lowest act I've ever heard of in my life to steal from the Red Cross. A few months ago, when I found a man for stealing flowers from the graves in a cemetery, I thought then I'd found the meanest man on earth. But I hadn't met you. One year in the house of correction, \$25, and costs. I wish I could make it more."

Thus Judge Newcomer in the South Clark street court yesterday expressed his opinion of George Lederer, 1033 North Dearborn street, who stole a Red Cross kit. Lederer pleaded guilty and had no more to say.



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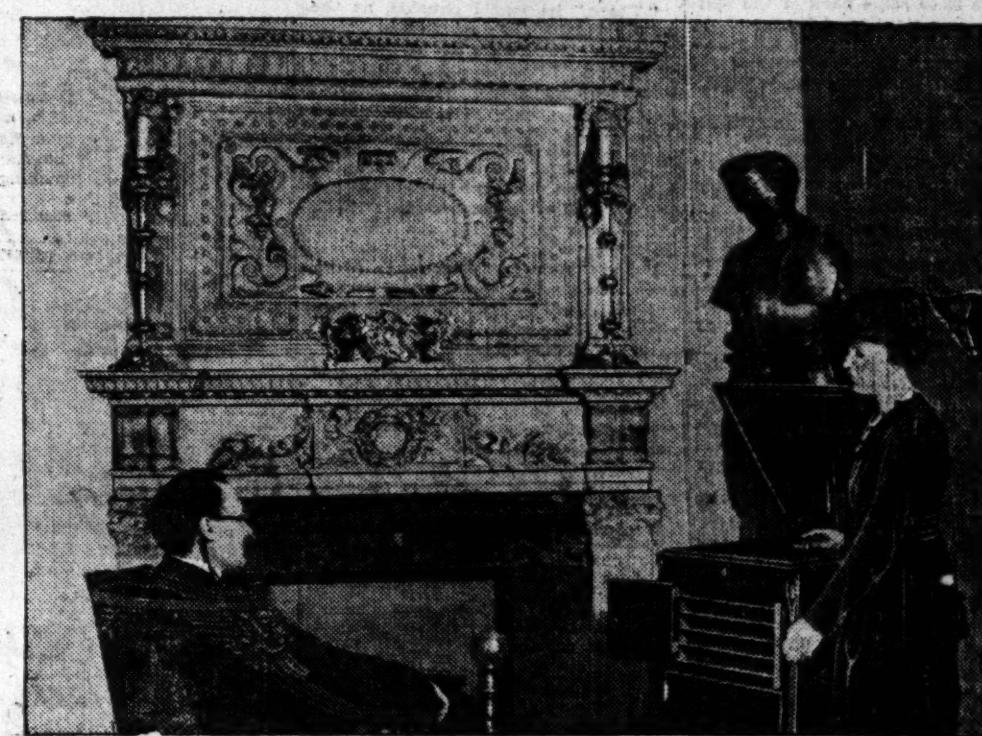
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B. SUNDAY GOES THE LIMIT, WITH SOULS AT STAKE

Great Crowds See Him Practice Art of "Putting It Across."

(Continued from first page)

elastical twang in it, he delivered an earnest and formal petition.

Before he had finished one noticed for the first time that Billy himself was on the little platform. A little man, very slender, in a fashionably cut suit of light gray, and his shoes! Imagine any preacher wearing pointed leather buttoned shoes, with light cloth tops! His trim coat was buttoned only at the bottom and exposed a stretch of white shirt, with a blue butterfly tie above.

Crowd Is Real Test.

He stood while the prayer was being offered and I fancied him somewhat uneasy at the ministerial tone of the young man's voice. All the time the right hand of Sunday rubbed the invisible cobwebs out of his eyes, and when the preacher had finished, he stepped quickly forward, put both hands on the low flag covered pulpit, leaned forward, and stared nervously down into the crowd.

They were somewhat worried, naturally, as to how large a crowd the first weekday afternoon service would attract. It was in a way a test.

"We don't know, of course, how Chicago is going to respond," the Rev. James E. Walker, Mr. Sunday's executive manager, said to me half an hour before the meeting opened. As it turned out the response was encouraging. The 3,000 seats back of the platform, which are reserved for the choir, were not occupied, but more than half of the chairs in the great body of the house were filled. Sunday told the people that only Philadelphia had surpassed this first Tuesday afternoon turnout.

Just before "Billy" spoke "Rhody" announced the singing of "Brighten the Corner Where You Are."

Asks Manner on Noise.

"We want everybody in town to learn this song," he said. "Possibly it has been sung more times in the last few years than any other song of any kind or character."

Then Sunday started in. In the beginning one felt sorry for him. He talked quite naturally, with no straining for effort, but his voice was husky. One concluded that his vocal chords must have been tortured. But his manner was appealing.

"I know you folks have got to cough and clear your throats," he said, "but please put a handkerchief to your mouth and close your lips. Don't make me half kill myself unnecessarily. By the way, if we put a board floor in our tabernacle no living man would be able to talk against the noise your feet would make. That explains the sawdust."

On the top of the little pulpit lay some slips of paper. On them were apparently noted down the serious heads and points of Billy's sermon. One after the other he drove these points home.

Holds Pulse on Audience.

Always he was watchful of his audience. At the first sign of weariness he plunged away into a burst of patriotism, damning the Kaiser, declining to spit in the faces of people who were not 15 karat patriots, telling a funny story—and telling it well—or declaring that "every man who has tried to make this old world better has been cursed and slandered by the dirty, black hearted degenerates of hell!"

The instant the audience was swept by a ripple of mirth, the instant they straightened up and lost the signs of approaching weariness, "Billy" was back on his regular job, pounding home the lessons of the Bible, bearing down hard on the principles of the old

A PRAYER

Plea for Revival Success Made at Afternoon Meeting.

BY BILLY SUNDAY.

I was talking to God as you would talk about the things of the spirit, talk about the things that would dispel the gloom, talk about the things that would give us hope and comfort. O God, we are getting ready to drift out with the tide! Talk about the things that will make God smile and the devil frown. Talk about the things that will make the angels sing and the demons in hell grumble. Talk about the things that will add a new name on the book of life, and take one off from the records of hell. Talk about the things that will blot out the black pages written against them on God's books, and cause the demons in the pit to murmur because they have lost another one.

O Jesus Christ, help us, we pray, that this revival will result in crowding and packing heaven with penitent men and women, until their tears and prayers will go up to the throne of God, and the recording angels will have to work overtime to record the petitions of millions pleading for their wayward girls and sons; mothers pleading for their children and children for their parents, and friends for friends.

O God, hear us, we beseech you, that hell may be depopulated, and we pray, O Lord, our Father in heaven, may the saintly footsteps of God be heard, we pray, and may the foundations of hell tremble, and may the demons in the pit turn pale, and the angels in heaven flap their wings and sing, and pick up their harps and play and sing thy praise as the sinners come knocking at thy door and help us, Jesus, and guide us and bless us, through Jesus Christ, we pray. Amen.

fashioned, puritanical religion he professes.

Talk about your conscious artist! Every time "Billy" finished walking up the crowd and got the results he wanted he unconsciously showed how fully conscious he was of the success of his maneuver.

Gets Their Measure.

"There," he would chuckle, as the people laughed. "See, I've got your measure. Now! his fist would wave in the air. "Now, you need a revival to get your faith renewed." He caught the puzzled look in the myriad eyes. "Just as you stop at the garage to get a little more grease. See! It's as much the business of the church to keep awake as it is the business of the fire department to keep awake. When the church gets sleepy it's time for a revival."

I don't know just how much of an artist Sunday is. Once, when he had finished kicking the Demon Rum about the platform, he stepped back to the pulpit and stood an instant silent. Then he spoke under his breath.

"Damn their dirty hides!" he whispered. Nobody but the people in the green seats could have heard it. I don't know whether he was consciously contributing a newspaper headline or was simply moved by depth of feeling. I don't see that it makes much difference.

Like all artists who depend on public patronage, Sunday is avid for publicity. Publicity means great crowds. If he has the greatest message in the world to deliver, why not use any available means to get people to listen. But I think he is being poorly pressed. The first and only sermon—if that is what it was—which I ever heard him deliver was not made up entirely of profanity and vulgarity.

I got no thrill out of yesterday's proceedings. But the time for thrills has not yet come. I did get the impression of a man who knows how to be clear and interesting and who is not afraid to be entertaining.

Sunday knows he is facing the greatest artistic undertaking of his spectacular career. It will be worth while watching how far he is able to "put it across."

SITE BOUGHT FOR SEMINARY. Waukegan, Ill., March 12.—(Special.)—Deeds filed today in the office of the county recorder at Waukegan revealed for the first time the scope of the project for a \$1,000,000 seminary at Arcos for candidates for the Catholic priesthood. Considerations in the deeds given by Clayton Cunningham to Dennis J. Dunn of Chicago total \$1,800,000, the cost of the site alone.

'CAP' AND BILLY BRIDGE 27 YEARS WITH HANDSHAKE

So Streeter Isn't Going to Eject Sunday from Tabernacle.

"Cap" George Wellington Streeter, erstwhile potentate of the District of Lake Michigan, whereon stands the great tabernacle where Billy Sunday is battling sin, called yesterday to his train two faithful trainers and paid his first formal call in years.

He went to see his old time friend Billy Sunday, star in other days of Anson's mighty White Stockings, whom "Cap" was wont to back with his war whoops and his cash.

And as "Cap" walked through the doorway the modern furnishings of Billy's temporary home faded in the background and the atmosphere became subtly charged with the spirit of days long gone.

The Same Old Billy.

"Well, Cap Streeter," ejaculated Billy, turning from a conference with "Ma" and leaping recklessly across a seven foot rug to grasp the aged batter of the lake front by the hand. "How are you old scout?"

"Billy—Billy Sunday," gasped the old man in the shiny black hat and the faded coat; and as a look of wonder appeared in his eyes: "Why, you're the same Billy, you haven't changed a bit. You look just 'as you did when you played ball and hung out around the old Clark mission. How air you, Billy?"

And the two veterans of many battles gripped hands across a bridge of twenty-seven years.

Feels Like a Spring Chicken.

"Well, say, Billy," declared "Cap"

JEALOUSY

Wife Accuses Women of Flirting with Him, He Says.

IN Frank Albert Nelson's plea for divorce, filed yesterday against Mabel, he says Mabel accuses innocent women of attempting to flirt with her husband. Then the bill states that Mabel was cruel.

New suits filed.

CLARA LANGDON PERRY accuses Albert of desertion.

KATHLEEN WILLIAMS accuses William of desertion.

CLARA A. BLOOM accuses William J. Bloom of deserting her.

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when the first handshake was over, "I'm awful glad to see you looking so well."

"Well," declared Billy. "If I looked as well as you do at your age I'd think I was a lucky guy. Why, let's see, you must be hustling \$6. Just how old are you now, Cap?"

"I'm 79 and I feel like a spring chicken," asserted "Cap."

"I want you to meet Mrs. Sunday," said Billy, turning to "Ma."

"Cap" eyes were still sharp. He grasped "Ma" by the hand.

"Well, if it ain't the Thompson girl. I knew your father well, and your brothers. I sure am mighty glad to see you. I'm coming to hear Billy talk and I'm going to bring my wife. I want you and Billy to meet her."

"You must come," insisted Billy. "I'll leave word at No. 1 door for them to let you in and see that you get the best seat in the tabernacle."

"That visit done me good," declared "Cap" fifteen minutes later as he celebrated the days of '91 over a gin and sugar.

"I'm sure going to hear Billy talk. He is all right. I wouldn't put him off the lake front for anything."

JEWELRY THEFT IS CAPTURED.

The nonchalant robber who calmly put his foot through the plate glass window of the

Harris & Co. jewelry store, 415 South State street, Sunday night while a crowd of the

store was closed, was caught last night. He is Frank

Matka of 438 South State street. Most of the cheap jewelry, valued at \$150.00, with which he escaped was found on his person.

WOMEN WORKERS IN SUNDAY CAUSE PERFECT PLANS

Following the afternoon meeting, at the Sunday tabernacle yesterday about 600 women equally divided between the central and extension divisions of the business women's work, met on the platform to receive instruction concerning the plans for reaching the employed women and girls of Chicago.

You are to care for more than 100,000 women in the extension division," said Mrs. William Asher. "This is a big family."

Miss Frances E. Miller addressed the central division.

Tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock the business women visiting committee and the council girls who represent the employed women will meet for supper at the Fourth Presbyterian church, Delaware place and Lincoln parkway, and will have reservations at the evening service at the tabernacle. The supper is to be given by Mrs. Thomas R. Lyon, general chairman of the business women's visitation committee. About 700 are expected to be present.

Next Tuesday evening will be business women's night of the central division at the tabernacle, and March 20 extension division night, when it is expected there will be from 6,000 to 7,000 reservations made for business women.

The reservations at the tabernacle for this afternoon are for 100 members of the Englewood First Methodist Episcopal church and fifty from the Ravenswood Baptist Woman's circle.

Reservations at the tabernacle for 400 from the Woodlawn district in P and G sections, 150 from the Kenwood and Hyde Park districts, 100 from Englewood in section B, 100 from the Baptist Missionary Training school, and twenty-five in sections 9 and 34 from Marshall field's.

Gary to Make Heavy Artillery in Thirty Days

Gary, Ind., March 12.—The \$4,000,000 addition to the Gary coke ovens, comprising 160 new ovens, is nearing completion.

To supply the 720 ovens here the steel corporation has opened new mines at Whitesburg, Ky., and is building the model town of Lynch.



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"Springtide's Inaugural" at midweek is assured of success that shall outclass every prophecy—by throngs each day augmented—each day more laudatory of superb fashion displays and well ordered arrangements.

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One of three models is pictured—fashioned of wool jersey in taupe, beige, navy or French blue; collar and cuffs of contrasting satin; the embroidered girdle of self, lined with satin to match collar.

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New delightful models in beige, gray, flesh, copenhagen, black and all white. Collar and peplum of blouse are effectively trimmed with bead embroidery.

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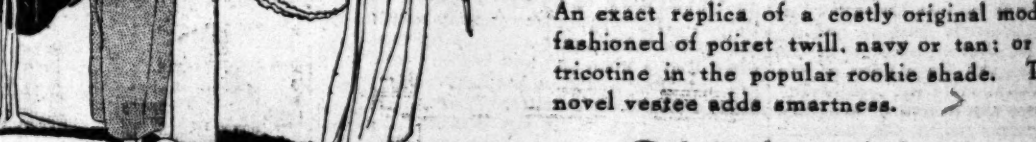
The model suits are from foremost creators of style "pour la jeunesse." The adaptations possess all the charm of their prototypes, and many are even better qualified to fulfill every day demands.

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Fourth floor.

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The mother has the choice of many medicines—cathartics, purgatives, bitter-waters, pills, physics, etc. But the little body doesn't need such harsh remedies, for they wrench the system and do only temporary good, so often followed by an unpleasant reaction.

A better plan is to employ a mild, gentle laxative of which only a little is required. There is a combination of simple laxative herbs with pepsin sold by druggists under the name of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin that thousands of mothers have used successfully for baby's constipation and its accompanying ills, such as belching, wind colic, restlessness, sleeplessness, etc.

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Need of Revival Is Afternoon Sermon

In his afternoon sermon yesterday Billy Sunday gave his own ideas of the why and wherefore of the revival. He compared it, in its effect against increasing wickedness, to the water poured on a conflagration by a fire department.

It is as much the duty of the church, he said, "to arouse herself and work and pray for the salvation of the unsaved as it is, my friend, for the fire department to respond when the fire alarm sounds."

What would you think of the city fire department if, when the fire alarm is sounded, they would sit around and talk and eat and play cards and let the city burn?

What do you think God thinks of the church when he has sounded the alarm, raised the banner, and asked that every man and woman that is under it and show their colors? It is as much your duty to respond to the call as it is for the firemen to respond when the alarm is sounded.

He said the purpose of the revival was to "renew your faith" as one much as the preacher.

"I am sick and disgusted," he continued, "with a lot of people knocking somebody who doesn't do the same thing just the way he should."

"No, sir! I've got my place in God's divine economy just as much as January and February and October and November have in the calendar in the swinging of the sun."

Where the word "preacher" is mentioned once in the Bible, "evangelist" is mentioned twice, so I've got him skinned two to one.

Not Enough Hell Preached. He argued that "hell is not preached enough."

"We don't preach enough of it to the people," he said. "If you don't want to hear about hell, don't come around here."

"I don't believe in Gehenna or Hades. I believe in plain, old-fashioned hell."

He defied all efforts to make him modify his method of work.

"If the preacher stands up to speak the truth," he said, "some God-forsaken old mountebank will object. But, take it from me, Bud, I want to tell you you've got no more business to run the church because you've got a little dough than that fellow who sits there that hasn't got a sou."

"Take your money and go to the devil with it. You can dictate to some preachers because you've got a little money, but you won't tell this preacher how to preach. You've put your eyeball on one you can't tell how to preach. It won't do you any good. Any time you don't like it you can beat it."

Lists Revival Opponents. Opposed to the revival, Billy said, you will find the following:

"Every black-legged gambler, every brewer of the state, every saloon-keeper, every madame of the red light, every gunman, every good for nothing, God-forsaken hobo, ruffian, plug-ugly, rag-shap and bobtail of society that feeds and fattens and gormandizes on the virtues, the manhood, the womanhood of others."

Some of the attacks on revivals he answered in galling gun style.

"You say, 'A revival is temporary.' So is a rain shower. So is a Pentecost. So was the reformation under Martin Luther. But the world feels the benefit of its blessing today."

"A revival temporary? So's a bath. Take one; it will do you good."

"Some people say, 'A revival is an abnormal condition.'"

"And I say, 'You lie!'"

"I say to you that a revival is a

regains his health by treatment from a doctor or by a change of climate.

"We are as migratory as the bird," he said, "all looking for some influence or atmosphere that will be conducive to health—so that we can renew the bloom of health upon our cheeks."

And if Christians are full of the spirit of prayer, sinners will read it; and, if they are cold, indifferent, porphyritic, critical, fault-finding, grumbling, crochety-why, then you will give the spirit of God.

Religion for Sick Souls. "You don't have to get out and sit your side full of booze in order to give the spirit of God."

"When the doctor comes to your home and looks at your tongue and it looks like the corner of a blanket he prescribes for your difficulty. You take the medicine, no matter how bitter and nauseating, if he only promises to keep the embalming fluid out of your veins and the 'No flowers' notice out of the papers. You want to beat the undertaker."

The defense of his own revival method, dropped out several times.

"I've got your number, sir," he said, as though to a man critic. "When I say something you don't like, take a tip from me and keep your mouth shut, because other people will know that it was just the thing you needed."

Again, a little later, he said: "Don't grumble or growl at my vocabulary, or because I don't wear a

white necktie, or a Prince Albert. If I put my hands in my pocket don't go out and grumble. If you can do it better than I can, sister, I will keep away. O, you can't. All right, thank you."

Don't Joblot Your Sins. He urged that "plowing of fallow grounds" of the mind be accomplished through the writing down of one's sins and suggested a long list of offenses that might be written.

"Take a pencil and write them down," he said. "A general confession of sin will never do. They were committed one by one. Confess them one by one. Don't Joblot them. Write them down. Say, 'Lord, a lie, neighborhood gossip, proud—O, mercy, chalk them down—I don't know what they are. It's none of my business. But say, 'Lord, here it is; weasel-eyed, see more through a keyhole than through a door four blocks away.'"

And the "sins of omission" he listed a want of love for God.

Say, lady, if you found some other woman was winning the affection of your husband," he said, "if he was buying her coats and hats and dresses, feeding her on beefsteak, taking her out joy riding—just tell me, on the whole, you needn't answer. But wouldn't it be a good idea to tell some other woman wringing and wringing her infamous carcass into the affection of the man who, under the perfume of the orange blossoms, promised to be

true to you as long as the sky and waves are blue?

Such Is God's Case. "Don't you think God Almighty's got a little feeling? And when God sees the devil is worming his miserable old carcass into your affection and you work harder to advance the interest of the devil, you work harder to make somebody drunk than sober, you work harder to ruin somebody than to bring them to Jesus Christ—don't you think God Almighty's alarmed?"

He offered to bet that hundreds of his hearers never opened the family bible except to record a birth, a marriage, or a death. Then, among the sins of "commission," he listed pride.

"You can remember," he said, "in instances when you were proud that you could roll up to the church in a \$5,000 car while your neighbor had to have a 'tin Lizzie.' So you remember instances of detecting yourself in pride when you can strut down in an Alaska seal while your neighbor had a Hudson or a 'near seal.' Forget it!"

Other sins he touched on were: "Squandering hours that you ought to give to God. Vain, foolish talk; vain, foolish, needless, vain, foolish amusements—O, all that! Bad temper, abuse your wife, abuse your husband, and start your old galling gun tongue loose. Growl at the children, growl at your servants, growl at the clerks in your store! O, confess to God the sins you have committed against God, and confess to man the sins you have committed against man!"

Potatoes, Butter, Eggs, and Lard Prices Drop Slightly

Slight reductions in the prices of some grades of potatoes, butter, and lard were noted yesterday in the Daily Food Price Bulletin prepared by the United States food administration.

The price of No. 1 western potatoes dropped from between 22 to 24 cents per ten pounds to 21 and 23 cents per ten pounds. Other potato prices were unchanged.

The price of creamery extra butter dropped from between 43 to 53 cents per pound to between 41½ to 51½ cents per pound, firsts from between 46 to 51 cents per pound to 45½ to 50½ cents per pound. Cold storage remained stationary.

Eggs dropped from between 39 to 44 cents to between 37 to 42 cents a dozen.

The price of standard pure lard in bulk went down from between 30 to 35 cents to between 29 to 34 cents.

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THREE TO TALK TO GRAND JURY ABOUT A J. P.

Assistant State's Attorney John Owen last night issued John Doe subpoenas for the appearance today before the grand jury of Chief of Police Peter H. Ripke and Miss Louise Walters of Oak Park, and Mrs. Catherine Yeager of 7249 West Madison street, Forest Park. They are to be witnesses in a case against W. Stevens Lewis, a justice of the peace in Oak Park.

The action was taken, he said, because of information reaching him concerning the experience of Mrs. Yeager in seeking to obtain a warrant for the arrest of her husband on a charge of nonsupport. She visited the office of Justice Lewis. What is alleged to have happened there will be related before the grand jury, according to Assistant State's Attorney Owen. Ripke and Miss Walters will testify, as witnesses, he said.

Justice of the Peace Lewis made the following statement last night: "I won out in the recent primaries and these charges are without foundation. It is nothing but a political frameup to discredit me."

Prospects Better for Big Corn Acreage in State

Prospects for a large corn acreage in Illinois look brighter than they did a week or two back owing to the fact that more good seed grain is available.

W. G. Eckhardt, seed corn administrator for Illinois, says they are lining up a lot of seed and that the main thing now is for farmers to get their orders in time so that proper distribution can be made while the season is young.

There was a meeting of the officials in charge of this work yesterday and it was announced that the plans laid out are proceeding splendidly.

John Ericsson League Rents Office in Loop

The John Ericsson League for Patriotic Service, organized among citizens of Swedish parentage, has established permanent headquarters for its organization, which is national, in this city.

A suite of three offices was rented yesterday, and a year's lease signed by Judge Harry Olson, on behalf of the league, at 1347 Conway building. A manager of the office will be appointed.

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Gabardine coats with smartly tailored lines.

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At \$40—the coat sketched at the left—of Poiret twill, taupe, tan and navy blue. Note the cord-tucking on the panels.

At \$50—the coat sketched at the right—of tricotine, taupe, gray, navy blue and black. Pockets give an unusual line at the sides.

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Domestic Wilton Rugs

We have received a new shipment of Anglo-Persian, Anglo-Indian, Royal Worcester, and Highland Seamless Rugs, ranging in price from \$67.00 to \$97.50. Size 9x12 feet.

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Mrs. Hardy serves dainty corn muffins and delicious coconut cake at afternoon tea. How surprised are all the ladies when their hostess tells them that her delightful refreshments are made with Sa-Van-Eg, the new pure food product they have seen advertised! The little store around the corner will be kept busy for several minutes after the gathering breaks up—you can be sure of that.

"How Good These SA-VAN-EG Foods!"

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HERE are the delicious recipes that were used by Mrs. Hardy. Try them.

Corn Muffins

1½ cups corn meal; ¼ cup flour; 1 teaspoon Sa-Van-Eg dissolved in 2 tablespoons water; 1 teaspoon salt; 2 tablespoons sugar; 1 teaspoon baking powder; 1 teaspoon soda; 2 cups sour milk; 2 tablespoons melted fat. Mix thoroughly the corn meal, flour, salt, sugar and baking powder. Dissolve the soda in a tablespoonful of boiling water and add to the sour milk. Then mix all the ingredients well together, adding the melted fat last. Pour into buttered tins and bake 20 minutes in a hot oven.

Coconut Cake

1 cup sugar; 2 tablespoons butter; 3 spoons Sa-Van-Eg dissolved in 6 tablespoons of water; ½ cup milk; pinch of salt; 2 scant cups flour; 2 teaspoons baking powder sifted in flour; 1 teaspoon vanilla. Bake in two layers.

This is also a very good recipe for any kind of layer cake.

Sa-Van-Eg saves ⅓ the shortening in any recipe.



Sa-Van-Eg is made of pure milk and choice selected grains

CAKES, cookies, salad dressings and other dainties so *exceptionally* good that the afternoon visitors clearly display their pleasure; so luscious and so well made that the ladies compliment their hostess with unmistakable sincerity—and, who knows, perhaps with a hidden envy of her marked ability. Muffins, pancakes and plain foods so wholesome, so nourishing, that you can give the children all they want and keep them robust and brimful of health—and so delicious that your husband—and even yourself—will evince delight almost as plainly as do the younger ones. These are the wonderful eggless foods made with Sa-Van-Eg.

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No housewife can expect her cooking to always turn out successfully unless the ingredients

she uses are each time of equal quality. Eggs are not always dependable. That you know. Sa-Van-Eg, on the other hand, *never varies*. With Sa-Van-Eg you can know in advance that your foods are sure to be a source of delight. With Sa-Van-Eg you can actually improve even your finest recipes. And Sa-Van-Eg is easier to use than eggs. For each whole egg called for in any recipe a level teaspoonful of Sa-Van-Eg with a little milk or water may be used—and the shortening should be reduced one-third.

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Sa-Van-Eg is made only of pure milk and choice selected grains. It is wholesome and nourishing. It contains no powdered egg or egg of any sort. One 25c package may be used in place of three dozen finest quality eggs in cooking and baking—at an economy



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GAS RATE BOOST DENIED COMPANY BY STATE BODY

Commission Reserves the
Right of Control of
Utilities.

Gas consumers and the city council won a victory yesterday when the state public utilities commission denied the petition of the Peoples Gas Light and Coke company for a 22 per cent increase in rates.

The commission held that the present rate ordinance, which expires in August, was a just contract between the municipality and the company. It refused to change its terms in any way, although its ruling stated that the commission had entire jurisdiction over the question of gas rates.

Last August the council passed the present rate ordinance, which provides for an average charge of 70 cents per 1,000 cubic feet of gas. The ordinance also changed the gas standard, allowing the company to lower the candle power and to place the commodity in a heat unit rather than a candle power basis.

Bar on Change Provided.
It was admitted by both the company and the city that the measure was an experiment, and that it should be effective for one year. One of the requirements was that neither the city nor the company should seek within a year to change any of the provisions.

"Except that the ruling of the commission is a disappointment," said E. G. Cowdery, president of the company. "The officials of the gas company have no comment to make on the matter." Aldermen and other city officials were jubilant. The ruling virtually held that when a contract ordinance is entered into between a public utility company and the city, the ordinance should not be swept aside by any act of the commission.

The ruling indicates, however, that the commission may entertain an appeal for a revision of rates after the year's contract expires.

Text of Ruling.
Following is the ruling:
"The commission is of the opinion it has exclusive jurisdiction of the subject matter of this publication. It is further of the opinion that the public utilities act repealed the act of 1905, which sought to give to the city of Chicago the right and power to prescribe and fix the maximum charges for gas and electricity."

"The commission, however, holds at this time: That for the reason there actually was an agreement evidenced by an ordinance entered into between the city of Chicago, acting through its city council, and the Peoples Gas Light and Coke company, acting through its proper officials, which ordinance was passed by the city council of the city of Chicago June 25, 1917, and accepted by the Peoples Gas Light and Coke company on July 31, 1917 (the legal effect of which agreement and ordinance we are not now passing upon, and thereby there was an agreement that the present rates for gas should be tested for one year, the commission, while it hereby overrules the objections filed to the consideration of the petition and will proceed with a hearing on said petition filed by the Peoples Gas Light and Coke company, no change in rates or standards of service from those now in effect will under any circumstances be permitted to become effective prior to the expiration of the aforementioned twelve month experimental period, ending July 31, 1918."

City Differs on Rights.
Attorneys for the city and the commission are to present arguments to

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DIES OF WOUNDS

Chicago Soldier Whose Name
Appears on the Official Cas-
ualty Lists.



Alexander B. Burns

In the list of overseas casualties reported yesterday afternoon from Washington appeared the name of Private Alexander B. Burns as having died of wounds. A private of that name was in the lists of a Chicago organization now in France.

The commission on the question of whether or not the creation of the commission automatically repealed the city's right to set gas and electric rates. On the ruling Corporation Counsel Eitelson said:

"The city does not acquiesce in these portions of the opinion, and, through its counsel, has reserved its right to be heard before the city presents any evidence at any hearing. The commission entertains the application of the company for the purpose of a hearing on the same with reference to rates that may become effective after July 31, 1918. The company could have presented to the city council such an application for increase under the terms of its ordinance."

Washington Urges Liberty.
The stock of the company broke 24 points on the local exchange yesterday, but there was no liquidating pressure of importance, less than 500 shares changing hands.

Principal stockholders of the company have expected that the commission would rule adversely to the petition for an immediate rate increase. They have been even more confident that at the expiration of the city's contract in August a substantial increase will be granted.

Washington has taken cognizance of the utility situation in Chicago and, it is said, has let the state commission know that the treasury department expects a liberal policy to be adopted, one that will strengthen the company's credit.

President Wilson, Secretary McAdoo, and John Skelton Williams, controller of the currency each have stated with emphasis that utilities should be maintained at their maximum efficiency.

LOMBARD'S HOTEL MEN FREED.
M. W. Kennedy, manager of the Lombard hotel, was discharged yesterday in the Morris court, where he was arrested in connection with the raid on the hotel March 3 when over seventy men and women were arrested. S. G. Neveghorst, clerk of the hotel, was also discharged.

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HE'S SUCH A GOOD FRIEND LANDIS SOAKS HIM \$100

Negro Attorney's Ideas of
Influence with Judge
Are Shattered.

Shadrach Turner, Negro lawyer and politician, was fined \$100 for contempt of court yesterday by Federal Judge Landis for saying to Dr. A. B. Mercer, Negro, after he left the witness stand: "It's a lie. Every word you have said is a lie."

Mercer, who had gotten into trouble with the court for charging \$50 for making bond for F. W. Riffe, a Negro, accused as a postoffice thief, had sworn that Turner had approached him, asked for a fee, and told him that he "had influence with Judge Landis."

Sam Wright, another Negro, in trouble over the same bond, testified that Turner had told him of "influence with Commissioner Mason." When Mercer turned the stand and took his place beside Turner, before the bench, Turner frowned and whispered to Mercer.

Denial vs. Affirmation.
"What did he say?" asked the court. "He called me a liar," said Mercer. Mercer was put back on the stand and testified under oath that the lie had been passed; Judge Landis then asked Turner if he would swear he didn't say it.

He said he would, whereat Judge Landis put William L. Martin, Negro attorney, "in trouble" over the same Riffe case, on the stand. He swore he had heard Turner call Mercer a liar. "Now will you swear it?" asked the court.

"I'd rather take something else up first," said Turner.

Check Is Turned Down.
It was here that Judge Landis ordered Turner to pay \$100 for contempt. He offered a check. He was given until noon today to get the

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styles in white and flesh; others in two-tone pastel
shades. Two of the group are sketched. Third floor.

ROBBED

New Police Question Maid, But
She Can't Aid Them.

The theory was advanced last night that a maid, formerly employed by H. A. Vogel and his wife at 3408 Michigan avenue, may have unwittingly given information used by the robbers who bound the Vogel Monday night and got away with jewelry valued at \$8,375. The police questioned Lena Herman, the maid, believing that she might be able to tell how the robbers gained the knowledge of the interior of the house which enabled them to enter and lie in wait until the Vogels returned from a motor trip. She could throw no light on the case. It is believed they gained admission to the house sometime ago under some pretext. The three men who committed the robbery were handkerchiefs over their faces. They also got \$130 in currency. They made no attempt to take silver plate and other valuable goods. Their booty included six diamond rings, a diamond brooch, a pair of diamond earrings and a diamond scarfpin.

Money. Sworn. Turner was asked by the court:

"Did you say you had 'influence' with me?"

"I haven't got any influence with you," he replied.

"I didn't ask you that. I know you haven't got any influence with me," said Judge Landis. "I asked you if you said you had."

"No, your honor, I didn't," said Turner.

Divorcee Sues Wealthy
Coal Man for \$250,000

Allentown, Pa., March 12.—John Markle, coal operator and millionaire of Hazleton, was made defendant today in a suit for \$250,000 damages brought by Mrs. Alice Dillinger Jessup, divorced wife of Albert B. Jessup, vice president of the coal company of the G. B. Markle Coal Co., of which concern the defendant is president. The case is the outcome of a divorce granted to the husband in the courts of Idaho in February of last year. Mrs. Jessup charges that Markle was instrumental in having witnesses commit perjury in the divorce proceedings.

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PRIMER TO TELL HOW TO MAKE GARDENS GROW

State Council Outlines a
Program for Increased
Food Production.

The spring garden program of the State Council of Defense was outlined yesterday at a meeting at 120 West Adams street attended by more than 200 persons interested in garden work. Included in plans to increase production of food will be the publication of free distribution of a garden primer giving the best methods for raising vegetables, a survey of vacant lots available, and a short course in intensive gardening through community meetings and lectures by experts.

A committee of truck gardeners, with August Geweke, president of the Cook County Truck Gardeners' association, as chairman, was appointed to select the best vegetables for the war gardens. It recommended for small gardens beets, turnips, carrots, bush beans, Swiss chard, green onions, lettuce, and radishes, and for the larger gardens pumpkins, early tomatoes, and sweet corn.

"There exists a great shortage of seed," said Samuel Insull, chairman of the State Council, "and a serious danger of wasting it. The seed committee has decided that the distribution can be best handled through the regular channels of trade. A vacant lot committee will assist any one desiring space for garden purposes."

"It is our plan to hold a series of short courses in gardening the last week in March. They will be held in park field houses, school buildings, and garden organization headquarters."

J. H. Prost, city forester, will direct the work.

"Each garden organization must look after planting and obtaining seeds," said Mr. Prost. "We do not plan to go beyond a general supervision and cooperation."

Missing Oak Park Girl Found in Detention Home

Helen Owen, the 14 year old Oak Park girl who disappeared from her home last week, was found yesterday in the Juvenile Detention home. Her father, Walter N. Owen, reported to the police that he thought she had been kidnapped. Helen, however, told the police a story of a cruel father. He was arrested yesterday for permitting her to work without a work certificate.

The girl was taken by the Chicago police last Friday. At that time she gave a fictitious name and was sent to the detention home. When the story of her supposed kidnapping was placed in *The Tribune* the police considered her and she confessed to having run away.

U.S. Officials Eager to Help Dolson Join "Reds"

Federal investigators up to last night had not encountered J. H. Dolson, who declared, at a meeting Sunday night, he was sorry he was born in the United States instead of Russia. Dolson said if he could get a passport to Russia he would go there and enlist in the Red army. Federal officials declare sympathy in his desires and voice hope of setting him out of the country. Therefore they're looking for him.

ACCIDENTAL

Eugene Moreland, Who Was Shot
Victim of a "Didn't Know It
Was Loaded" Shooting, Is Ex-
pected to Recover.



Celeste Dorn
Winston Griffin
Willard Colvin

Eugene Moreland of 645 Kenosaw terrace, who was shot yesterday while calling at the residence of Miss Celeste Dorn of 652 Buena avenue, is expected to recover, according to Dr. Gilbert H. Wynekoop. His condition was good yesterday. Miss Dorn is the daughter of Otto J. Dorn, a La Salle street broker.

Young Moreland was able to talk of the accident during the day. "It is said that the revolver was in the hands of Winston Griffin, who lives at 1716 Greenleaf avenue, when it was accidentally discharged. It belonged to Willard Colvin, the third boy present. Colvin is the son of Edwin M. Colvin, vice president of the W. F. Hall Printing company."

Hospital authorities denied that the police were not promptly notified. The operation, they said, was performed at 8 o'clock, an hour after the shooting, and the police were present at the operation.

BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL TO AID LIBERTY LOAN

All Members Will Be
Asked to Buy as Well
as Sell.

Organized labor got definitely behind the next Liberty loan yesterday. A meeting of the Chicago Building Trades council, representing labor organizations, with a membership of over 100,000, passed a resolution "To do everything in our power to aid the United States government in its effort to float the third Liberty loan." The resolution named W. H. Staley as the official representative of the council to aid in procuring subscriptions. It is the purpose of the council not only to ask each of its individual members to buy the bonds, but to aid in selling them.

Efforts have also been put into motion to enlist Americans of German blood in aid of the loan. A meeting for this purpose will be held Saturday afternoon at the North Side Turner hall, 320 North Clark street, announcement of which was made yesterday to the foreign language division of the Liberty loan committee by Ernest G. Kuss, on behalf of a committee consisting of himself, Otto C. Butz, Henry G. Zander and Charles Christmann, representing the German section. The Platt Deutsche Grot Gilde has already passed a resolution to subscribe for \$1,000 of the bonds.

W. W. Kneath, executive secretary of the Liberty loan campaign committee, yesterday announced the following members of the quota committee for the seventh federal reserve district: W. A. Heath and C. H. Schweppe, representing Chicago and Cook county; Walter Kaestner, Wisconsin; John A. Cavanaugh, Iowa; A. M. Kenny, Illinois; W. J. Gray, Michigan; William G. Irwin, Indiana.

CRUSHED BETWEEN STREET CARS.
Christian Spanier, 57 years old, of 1143 North Monticello avenue, was seriously injured last night when he was caught between two street cars at Lincoln and Fullerton avenues. Two of his ribs were fractured.

WITH FINGERS! CORNS LIFT OFF

Doesn't hurt a bit to lift any
corn or callus right
off. Try it!

For a few cents you can get a small bottle of the magic drug Frezzone recently discovered by a Cincinnati man. Just ask at any drug store for a small bottle of Frezzone. Apply a few drops upon a tender, aching corn or callus and instantly all soreness disappears and shortly you will find the corn or callus so loose that you lift it off with the fingers.

Just think! Not one bit of pain before applying Frezzone or afterwards. It doesn't even irritate the surrounding skin.

Hard corns, soft corns or corns between the toes, also hardened calluses on bottom of feet, shrivel up and fall off without hurting a particle. It is almost magical.

Ladies! Keep a tiny bottle on the dresser and never let a corn or callus ache twice.—Adv.

SOME FEET MAY BE COLD AFTER THIS SOCK RAID

Four men and two women were arrested by New York Central railroad detectives and officers from the Fifth street station last night when every house between 4700 and 4800 Federal street was entered and searched in an effort to recover 1,560 pairs of army socks stolen from a box car on the New York Central tracks at Forty-seventh street Monday night.

Nearly all of the socks were recovered and nearly every house along Federal street is said to have yielded a few pairs. The detectives found many more in homes near Federal street. The district is peopled with Italians and some Negroes.

Patrick Moran, freight train conductor, saw a Negro throw the crate from a box car and start to carry it away. Moran was on a moving train and unable to stop the theft. He reported to the railroad detectives. Socks had been hidden in all parts of the houses and each family thought that it was the only one suspected. One family's explanation of possession of the socks was that members had seen a Negro carrying "large bundles" of socks through an alley and that they had "just picked up the ones he dropped."

Baby Howls When Judge Gives Him New Parents

"Joe" Lukowicz is 4 years old. Since his second birthday he has been a ward of St. Vincent's orphan asylum, where he was left by his mother together with a signed paper permitting the institution to give him to any family which it might think fit to have him in charge.

Yesterday Frank Fiolek and his wife, Bertha Fiolek, appeared before Judge Scully in the County court petitioning the judge to give them the right to call "Joe" their son. The investigation of the two proved satisfactory to the court and Judge Scully allowed the Fioleks to adopt "Joe."

When Judge Scully asked that "Joe" be raised to the table in front of the judicial bench, "Joe" set up a howl.

SHRAPNEL

Ninety-six employees of Wilson & Co. packers, were mustered in last night as a unit of the Illinois training corps, following a banquet given by Thomas E. Wilson, president of the concern, in the company restaurant in the stock yards. They will be used in home defense.

The headquarters of the United States Naval reserve force auxiliary have been moved from the federal building to room 539 First National Bank building, where enrollments of men from 21 to 37 years will be received for intensive training at the station on the municipal pier.

The body of Lieut. Leslie Chandler, Hinsdale aviator, who was killed last week in a fall at Kelly field, Texas, will arrive here this morning for burial at Hinsdale with military honors on Friday. Schools in the village will close and the Hinsdale company of Illinois reserve militia will take part in the ceremonies.

The call for men to enter the United States aerial school of photography at Rochester, N. Y., is said to be one of the best opportunities presented since the inauguration of the draft. Illinois lacks 1,000 men of its quota. The men will be trained to act as instructors in photography and will accompany aviators on trips over enemy lines.

Lieut. Frank H. Quinn Jr. of Battery D, One Hundred and Twenty-third field artillery, who was hurt several days ago in a sham battle at Houston, Tex., was reported to be slightly improved yesterday, although still unconscious, according to a telegram received from his mother, Mrs. Frank Quinn, 134 South Grove avenue, Oak Park.

A memorial service for George Sutherland, who died last Wednesday, will be held tomorrow night at the Auditorium hotel by the members of the British Empire Association of Illinois, of which he was a member.

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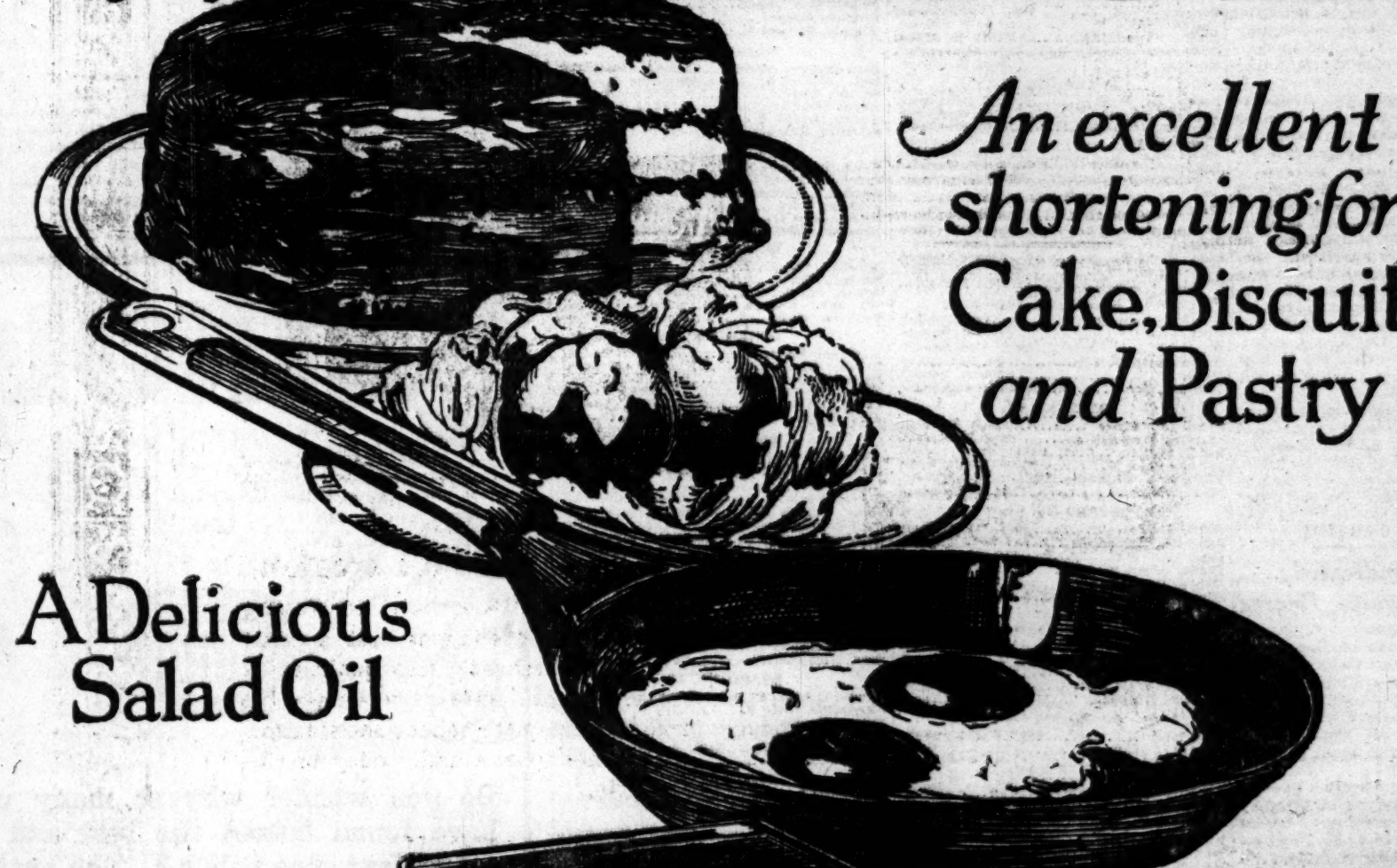
We throw down the gauntlet on these things in these important details—let him who will pick it up.

Smart styles cost no more than ordinary styles; Tailoring is our middle name and always has been, and our margin of profit has been cut so low you'll notice it all right by comparison—

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Waists \$5 to \$25

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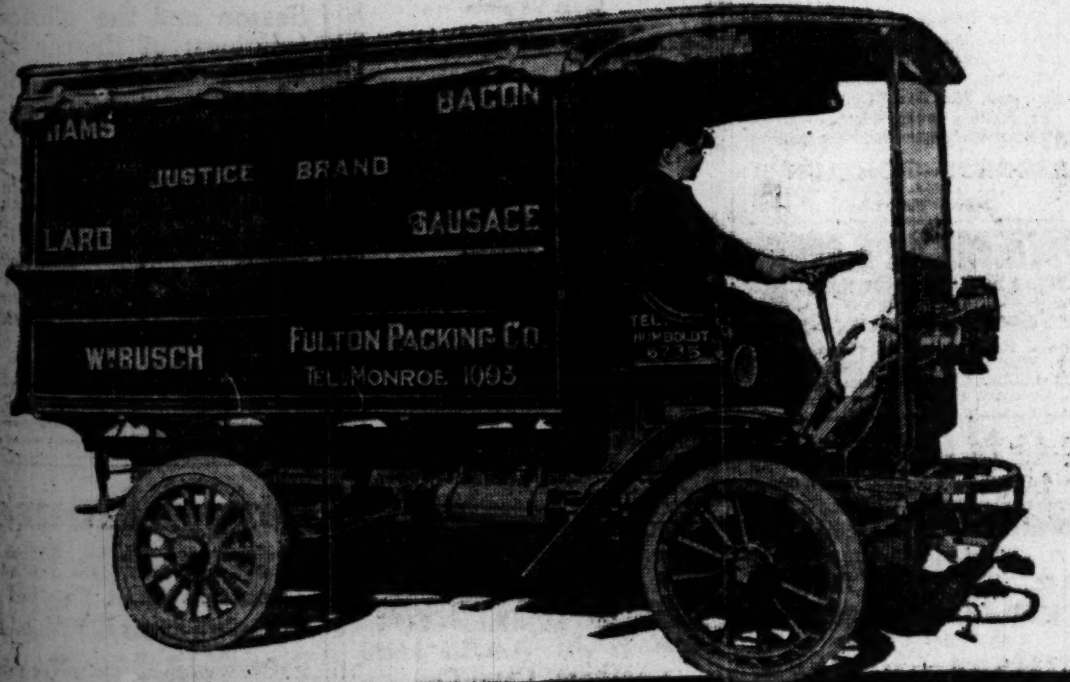
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Exposition Notes

A GLIMPSE OF THE ORIENT is revealed on the Fifth Floor, in the Lingerie Sections. Here are grouped the many lovely Undergarments and Negligees which the Orient has this year contributed to the Spring Exposition. Hanging lanterns, widespread Japanese parasols and rich-colored lacquered furniture provide a fitting setting for the silken garments.

REMEMBER FRANCE! and the women refugees of the battle scarred districts. For them have been designed Bags which contain urgent necessities, of which they are now deprived. \$4 buys an entire Bag, but one may spend whatever one will—several may contribute for one Bag. A card should be inclosed. Fifth Floor, South Room.

THE LITTLEST BABY has a very important place in this Spring Exposition—so important, in fact, that many mothers can find their greatest interest in the Infants' Section, Fourth Floor, North Room. Here are long Coats that boast beautiful embroidery, Frocks embroidered by French women—wreath Bonnets to match either and both. Even the Spring Shoes have been thought of in the assortment!

A HINT OF SWEETNESS is all that is necessary when it concerns Perfume. But that hint is as important as any other accessory of dress. French Perfumes are offering their fragrant bit to the perfection of the Easter costume. For Easter gifts, too. First Floor, North, State.

SEND A CARD on Easter morning just by way of greeting. And to see the Cards is to wish to send dozens—they are so attractive. More than ever this year joyful wishes will be appreciated. First Floor, Wabash Avenue.

EASTER GLOVES They are as inevitable as the Easter lilies themselves—the soft white gloves that will be worn on Easter Sunday morning. Mousquetaire or short lengths are suitable, and—if one prefers—selections may be made in soft pastel tints. First Floor, South, State.

"FORTY-FOUR WAYS TO WIN THE WAR" is the name of a new Conservation Cook Book that may be had for the asking. It is issued by the Household Utilities Section and is brimful of delicious wartime dishes, not one of which will take away from our soldiers the food that is rightfully theirs. Call for one at the Household Utilities Section, Ninth Floor, or at the War Service Bureau on the Third Floor.

A GAZING CRYSTAL—sun-dials, a bright red parrot, a cooling fountain and a few of the charming aids to Gardening now presented in formal displays on the Second Floor. For all who love the new-turned garden mold, early Spring days hold pleasure immeasurable, and these decorations for the garden add to the interest.

Hats—Flower Crowned or Wing Trimmed

IF YOU have visited the Millinery Sections this week, you know what a joyous showing of delightful styles the cases reveal. You also know that it seems as though all the world of women hereabouts was buying Hats, for it takes all the skill and concentration of our designers to keep pace with the demands.

Springtime Is Essentially New Hat Time

—the time when it is especially pleasant to know that one's Hat is flattering and smart. This is a cordial invitation to see the new Hats which bloom this morning in the French, English, Semi-Dress and Moderately Priced Rooms and in the Salon des Debutantes.

Fifth Floor, North and Middle Rooms.

The Spring Exposition

THE THIRD DAY of this Exposition! the clothes event which settles the momentous question of which way the style winds of Springtime blow. Just eighteen mornings (sixteen shopping days) from this one Easter will be here—to put all the world in gala mood—and make natural a keener interest in charming apparel. And, because the spirit of the times carries its challenge to buy with wisdom, and quality standards have here been maintained, we confidently expect this season to add greatly to the number of this Store's customers.



Women's Frocks for Every Purpose

Consider that sketched, for instance, made of the new tricolette—a drop-stitch silk jersey weave that is quite the newest of its family. This Frock may be selected in white, with a bright canary yellow sash quite Spanish in its inspiration. In lieu of a tie a flower is embroidered in bright wools at the end of the pretty collar. \$115.

A Bead-Encrusted Taffeta Frock for Afternoons

Made with the side-pointed tunic which all the world of fashion seems to sponsor, this Frock is quite simple, save for its rich ornamentation of quaint-looking colored bead motifs. \$97.50. Sketched at the lower right.

The Navy Blue Street Frock Has Many Adherents

Deservedly, too, for its many versions are captivating. One Frock which boasts a round collar of wee green-checked organdie has the most attractive overskirt with narrow cross-over straps. \$67.50. Women's Costumes, Sixth Floor, South Room.



"Suits Are Seen in Excess Over Last Season"

Writing from Paris, Feb. thirteenth, our resident correspondent thus reports the favor Suits are promised this season. From the simpler serges and velour checks at \$40 to these fine-woven tricotines, each model has much smartness and charm. Sketched above, navy tricotine Suit, \$97.50. Women's Suits, Sixth Floor, South Room.



The Spring Exposition of Women's Coats

A SHOWING in itself a revelation of the designers' and fabric-makers' arts. A showing that at once revives the quaintness of dolman, the chic of the short coat, the beauty and practicability of the long coat.

Black Satin Is Combined With Angora Wool

Appreciating to the full the shimmer of the satin by the side of the Angora wool, the designer has produced a Wrap of many uses. This is sketched at the lower left, \$175.

Royalty Satin—Velvet Collared and Chiffon Lined

tells not a word of the exquisite colors which have been combined in the Short Coat second from the lower left. \$37.50.

A Coat Which Considers Furs

has the simplest upper part one can imagine, but its skirt is enriched with a tracery of threads upon which its entire decorative scheme relies. \$145. Women's Coats, Sixth Floor, North State.



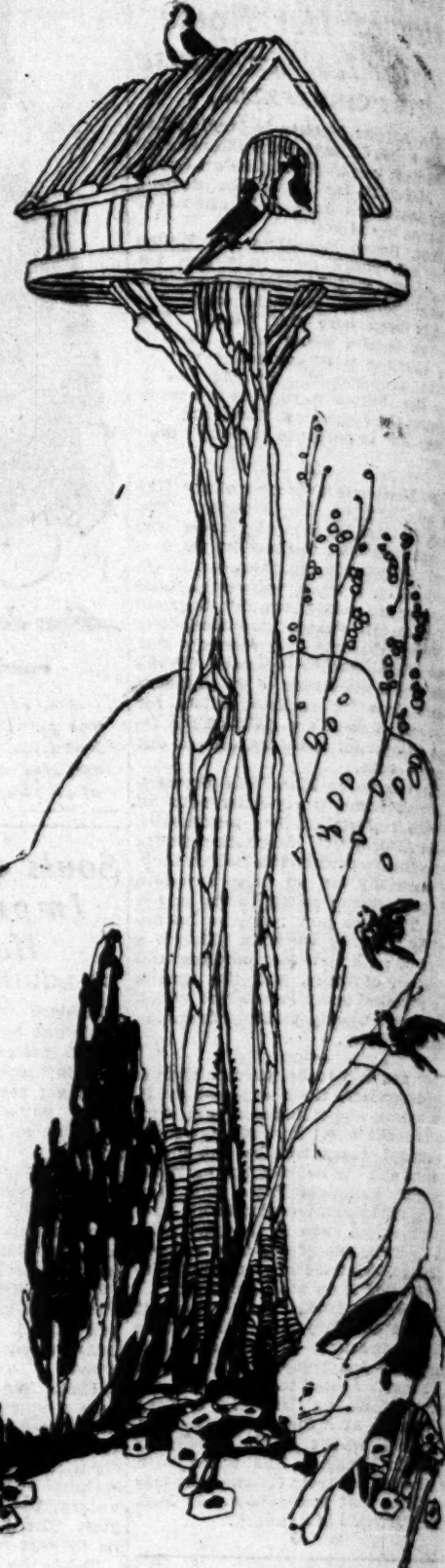
Wings poised as if for flight enhance the charm of the costume—covering Hat above.



Only two views of this Coat could tell the clever uses to which hand-embroidery has been put.



When a Blouse is not a Blouse is when it is sleeveless and tuniced—to give a "costume" air.



Blouses for Two Purposes

There are the Blouses which are the rightful complements of Spring suits. These are trim cuffed, high or low collared and often trimmed with rich lace of Filet lace. Several attractive styles. \$16.75 to \$35.

Then there are the new sleeveless models which are in reality overblouses, which are of the simple blouse and separate skirt pretty costume. One of these is sketched at the left—offered in crepe Georgette, a choice of colorings, trimmed with soutache braid to match. One may choose American Beauty or lettuce green in this style. \$14. Women's Blouses, Sixth Floor, Middle Room.

"Tricolette" for the Loveliest Skirts

This tricolette is a silk jersey fabric which appears to have "drawnwork" lines at regular intervals. The designers have placed these at horizontal as well as vertical lines, with the effect of trimming without the use of another fabric. The Skirt sketched in the lower panel is one example of these beautiful new styles. \$31. Women's Skirts, Sixth Floor, South Room.



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\$25,000 GRAFT ON NEW CITIZENS, CHARGE BY CLYNE

Co. Circuit Clerks Force
Them to Buy Books,
Landis Told.

Charging that deputy clerks in the circuit court have been "extorting the untold and unsuspecting" on the threshold of citizenship, Charles F. Clyne, United States district attorney, brought swift and sudden action yesterday against the clerks. He asked for a petition for writ of habeas corpus and for a writ of mandamus to compel the clerks to stop the practice.

It is alleged that the federal law, which fixes and limits the fee to be charged at \$1, has been violated. Penalty for this, it is pointed out, makes possible on conviction a two-year sentence in the penitentiary.

According to figures produced before Judge Landis, little booklets, printed at a probable cost of 3 or 4 cents, have been "pushed off on" new citizens at the rate of 25 cents. Records, according to Mr. Clyne, give evidence that in the last three years 80,000 of these books have been disposed of.

H. F. Bartels Named.
He named yesterday Herman F. Bartels, deputy clerk in the office of August W. Miller, chief clerk of the court, as the "publisher" and chief in the scheme, and Joseph Philip Jr., and Gustav J. Johnson, deputy clerks, as his assistants. Mr. Clyne also announced to the court that he would subpoena Mr. Miller for appearance at the hearing today.

The scheme is alleged to have been suggested by John F. Jordan several years ago while he was deputy under Mr. Miller, then clerk, more recently elected to congress. Mr. Clyne estimated that he would seek to have Jordan and Rainey in court.

Mr. Clyne said that the plan was a simple one. They told that when a former appeared for citizenship papers, the clerk would hand him the papers, with two little pamphlets, one a reprint of the constitution of the United States and the other "The Law of Naturalization Easy to Understand."

As they were handed out, witnesses said, the clerk would say, "One dollar and thirty-five cents, please."

Of this, the government contends, it went into Uncle Sam's till, while the cents went into the "pot" for the clerk among the "proffers." Just how this money was "split" is what Mr. Clyne wants to know. Merton A. Morgan, chief naturalization examiner for the Chicago district, on the stand told of numerous complaints he had received.

The new citizens, anxious to get the papers and unknown in the ways of America, would take papers and pamphlets, paying for all without question, Mr. Morgan explained. He said that in 1917 in Chicago there were about 20,000 naturalizations, and 10,000 to 12,000 the year before. The practice has been going on, it is claimed, for several years.

Bailihs Is Employed.
Investigators declared that on recent "busy Mondays," when there was a big rush to the naturalization bureau, a "barker" or "bailihs" man would stand outside the door, with a sign in his hand, "Naturalization Bureau," and would take the money from the new citizens.

The object, it was explained, was to keep the new citizens away from the superior court, where they could get the papers for \$1, to the circuit court, where they were "nickel" for \$1.50. So successful and profitable was the scheme, Mr. Clyne claims, that Bartels, who operates under the name of John F. Jordan, has had the booklets printed by scores of thousands and has shipped them out to other clerks of courts all over the country at wholesale rates.

It is alleged that Mr. Bartels, after Jordan, the originator of the "barker" plan, left the court, bought the "plates and rights" and kept publishing the books under the John F. Jordan imprint.

HOLD EARNST TO GRAND JURY ON WOOD CASE

Judge Newcomer Acts
on Charges Against
Promoter.

Henry J. Earnst, promoter, and secretary of a concern known as the Dixie Pecan Orchards company, with an office in room 424 National Life building, 29 South La Salle street, was held to the grand jury yesterday by Municipal Judge John R. Newcomer, charged with operating a confidence game.

On March 1 last Mrs. Adaline M. Wood, 184 East Pearson street, owner of the Tuscan Art works, a concern for reproducing classic statuary, appeared at the South Clark street police station and asked for a warrant against Earnst.

Upon the examination of the complaint, which was duly verified, Judge Newcomer ordered the warrant to issue for Earnst's arrest. He was taken in custody and gave a recognizance bond in the sum of \$2,500, furnished by William A. Fox of Glenview, vice president of the Commonwealth Edison company.

Look Up His Record.
Following his arrest, Earnst on March 6 last, through his attorney, Ransom E. Walker, brought libel proceedings in the circuit court against Mrs. Wood. In this suit he claimed he has been damaged in the sum of \$500,000 by reason of the publication of the issuance of the warrant for his arrest, ordered by Judge Newcomer and based upon the complaint of Mrs. Wood.

THE TRIBUNE, in accordance with its custom in libel cases, at once instituted an investigation as to the merits of the story published and found from court records:

That previously Henry J. Earnst was charged with operating a confidence game. In this previous case Miss Mamie M. Korte was the complaining witness against him. Mrs. Korte, who has since married, is now Mrs. Samuel E. Duffy, 4732 North Racine avenue. She charged that Earnst had unlawfully and feloniously obtained \$500,000 from her by means and use of a confidence game.

True Bill Returned.
Mrs. Duffy and some five other witnesses testified before the grand jury and on March 12, 1918, a true bill was returned against Earnst.

Records on file in the bond department of the State's Attorney's office show that following Earnst's indictment, his execution for the bond was returned against him. He had spent some days in jail.

These records further disclose that when the case was called for trial Sept. 10, 1916, Earnst failed to appear and his bond was ordered forfeited and a capias issued. Execution for the bond was returned against him. He had spent some days in jail.

According to Mrs. Duffy's recital, it was a case of blending finance with romance. She was employed in a loop department store. She became acquainted with Earnst about 1910. Four years later they became engaged, and according to her story, she frequently trusted sums of money to him for investment. During their acquaintance she said he obtained in all about \$4,000, of which she received nothing in return. The climax came, she said, when she gave Earnst \$500 to invest in the Carlin Calculating company, which firm, she said, later repudiated the investment.

Farm and Art Business.
In the hearing yesterday of Mrs. Wood's charges before Judge Newcomer, Attorney T. T. Weinert, who conducted the examination of witnesses, brought out that Earnst obtained Mrs. Wood's farm, said to be valued at \$25,000, and a chattel mortgage to her. A business without paying any money in return.

Several women, among them Miss M. A. Amerin, 331 Fifty-first street, who had become involved with Earnst in pseudo-financial transactions, were in court yesterday ready to testify to transactions in which Earnst had obtained their confidence. Miss Amerin says Earnst obtained \$500 from her, giving a worthless note in return.

Judge Newcomer, in holding Earnst to the grand jury, said the defendant said, "By far the most dangerous evidence has been presented by the defendant himself."

Earnst is married. He has been living at 311 Twenty-first street. He is said to have procured the chattel mortgage from Mrs. Wood for his wife, who is president of the Pecan Orchards company.

REGISTRATION OF 126,628 MAKES OFF YEAR RECORD

Drys, Socialists, and Negroes Aid in Sending
Total to 808,942.

Chicago smashed all records yesterday for an off year single day of registration. Every earlier mark was left far behind by the voters—men and women—who rushed to their polling places in presidential election style.

The number of names that went on the books was 126,628, and the aggregate that will be eligible to vote at the aldermanic elections on April 2 stands well above the 800,000 figure. Few names will be erased at the canvass of the precincts by the clerks, and the registration books after revision Saturday night will contain nearly as many, if not quite as many names as there were qualified voters for the last big quadrennial election in November, 1916.

Drys and Socialists Active.
The possible wet and dry election is recognized as responsible for the biggest percentage of yesterday's astonishing increase. Socialists developed the totals in the recognized Socialist strongholds where the black belt is in another bloodthirsty fight—alone registered more than 8,000 names, nearly a 50 per cent increase over its February total.

Summary of Results.
Summary of the results of the registration figures shows the following:
Total men registered yesterday..... 74,406
Total women registered yesterday..... 52,132
Total names registered yesterday..... 126,538
Total men now registered..... 804,280
Total women now registered..... 304,382
Grand total now registered..... 1,108,662

From 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after the factories and shops had closed, until the election judges and clerks quit at 9 o'clock last night, the polling places were swamped with voters. Long lines of men and women, particularly in the laboring and outlying residence wards, awaited their turns with the election officials. No trouble was reported from any precinct, and despite the overwhelming turnout of the citizens, the election office said that the machinery had worked smoothly and without a jar.

Surprise to Leaders.
The final figures were a notable surprise even to the political leaders, who had anticipated a heavy registration, but who were seeking for nothing like a landslide. The central registration bureau was in operation for seven months under the law that the Supreme court knocked out last month, caused by the efforts of the dries in qualifying their supporters to sign the dry Chicago petition. Only five weeks ago there was an exceptionally heavy registration in advance of the aldermanic primaries. Hardly anybody looked for what happened yesterday.

All Claim Advantage.
Wets and dries, at midnight, each claimed that the advantage in the outpouring of the voters lay with their side of the local option controversy. The dries asserted that they had 15,000 volunteer workers at the polls. The wets affirmed that they had played one of the most successful cards that the organized labor vote which the wets confidently claim is with them, had turned out in response to the activity of the wet machinery.

The Socialists were hard at it in their own particular battle. The Twenty-seventh ward, where the Socialists are centered, registered the greatest number yesterday, leaving out of consideration the seething Second and the De Priest-Jackson Negro aldermanic wards. The Twenty-seventh's total is now only 2,000 less than the Twenty-fifth, which has been the banner ward for total registration. The Twenty-seventh now noses out the Thirty-second for second place.

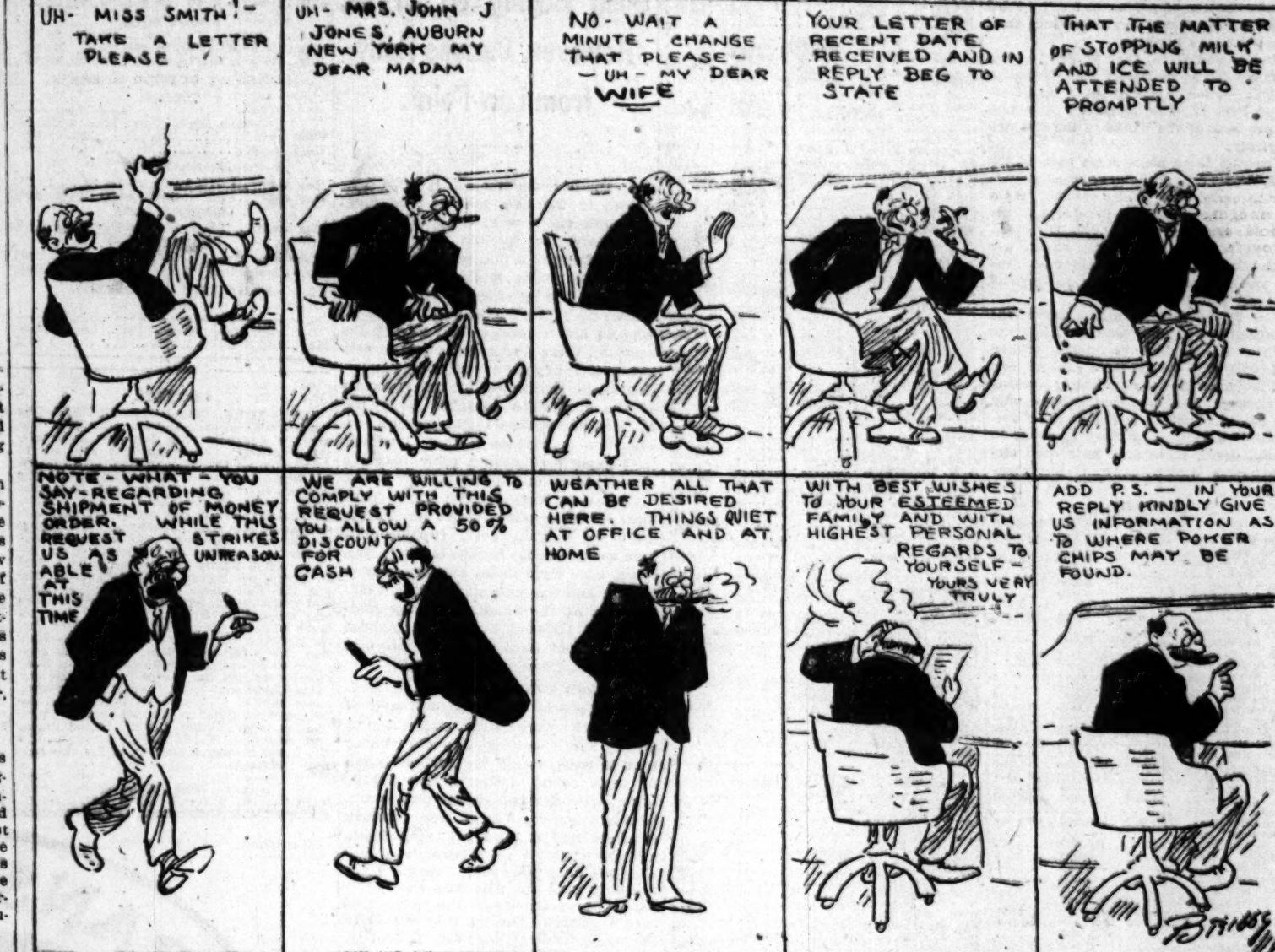
The ward figures show marked gains in the Ninth, Fifteenth, Twenty-third, Twenty-eighth, Twenty-ninth, Thirty-third, and Thirty-fifth, where the Socialists have put out the claim that they may elect their aldermanic candidates.

Wets Win in 3
LEGISLATURES
IN THE EAST

Albany, N. Y., March 12.—A proposal to ratify the federal prohibition amendment this year received what is considered a deathblow in the New York legislature late today, when the assembly, by a vote of 84 to 64, and after one of the most spirited debates in years, adopted a substitute which would provide for a referendum this fall on the ratification question. A committee of the senate earlier in the day favorably reported a referendum bill.

Gov. Whitman, who said he favored the ratification of the federal amendment, let it be known that he considered the referendum substitute of the legislature a mistake.

MOVIE OF A BUSY MAN WRITING TO FRIEND WIFE



REGISTRATION Table Shows How Increase Came List of Voters Came by Wards.

Ward	Men	Women	Total
1	2,701	1,030	3,731
2	4,084	3,350	7,434
3	3,056	2,278	5,334
4	1,108	845	1,953
5	1,503	945	2,448
6	2,646	2,081	4,727
7	2,928	2,471	5,399
8	1,748	983	2,731
9	1,749	1,325	3,074
10	1,707	854	2,561
11	676	680	1,356
12	1,262	936	2,198
13	2,304	1,636	3,940
14	1,957	1,427	3,384
15	2,038	1,393	3,431
16	771	440	1,211
17	584	324	908
18	2,973	1,419	4,392
19	941	373	1,314
20	1,008	827	1,835
21	2,105	1,166	3,271
22	2,088	1,508	3,596
23	1,679	1,176	2,855
24	1,262	1,138	2,400
25	3,051	2,501	5,552
26	4,115	3,310	7,425
27	2,534	1,835	4,369
28	3,252	2,398	5,650
29	2,173	1,944	4,117
30	3,030	2,398	5,428
31	2,252	1,440	3,692
32	1,258	1,440	2,698
33	2,801	1,770	4,571
Totals	74,406	52,132	126,538

HAMBERG SAYS RICH GEORGIAN DEFAUDED HIM

L. B. Cooper of Waycross, Ga., is accused by Simon Hamberg, a real estate broker at 5000 South Michigan avenue, of obtaining property valued at \$150,000 by means of worthless bonds. The specific charges are operating a confidence game and obtaining a signature by trick.

Cooper is president of the First National bank of Waycross and of the Atlanta Investment company. According to Morris G. Leonard, attorney for Hamberg, Cooper last summer gave \$75,000 worth of bonds and a deed to 10,000 acres in Georgia for a \$150,000 equity on south side real estate valued at \$400,000. The bonds were supposed to be secured by 15,000 acres of farm land in southern Georgia and were issued in the name of the Atlanta Investment company.

Last December, when the coupons were sent to Cooper's bank, it refused to pay the interest, notifying Hamberg the bonds had been protested.

Leonard and Hamberg say they learned the title to the bonds was not in Cooper's name nor in the name of the investment company headed by him.

Gov. Lowden has issued extradition papers for Cooper and Detective Sergeant Thomas Kane of State's Attorney Hoyne's office arrived in Atlanta Sunday to serve them. Cooper is fighting extradition and a hearing has been set for March 19. He has not been arrested, but the governor of Georgia says he will issue a warrant for him before the date for the hearing.

Wolkofsky, Parlor Bank
Head, Held to Grand Jury

Adolph Wolkofsky, proprietor of a "bank" at 1330 South Albany avenue, was held to the grand jury yesterday by Judge Newcomer on a charge of operating a confidence game.

OHIO PLAN FOR DRIVING CROOKS AWAY FAVORED

Council to Be Asked
to Pass "Loitering
Measure."

Another means of aiding the campaign for ridding Chicago of crooks was proposed yesterday by the city council committee on crime.

This was an ordinance designed after a measure in force in Cincinnati. It is called a "loitering measure." It would give the police a powerful aid in getting rid of crooks, it was claimed. The measure is said to work out well in the Ohio city.

Upheld by Ohio Court.
Ald. Byrne, Franz, Kimball, Steffen, and Kaindl, who is a subcommittee of the council committee on schools, fire, police, and civil service, were in Cincinnati last Friday. They learned that the "loitering" measure was a good thing, and proposed that Chicago have a similar ordinance. This will be presented to the council tomorrow. It is a duplicate of the Ohio measure.

"It must be a good measure," said Ald. Byrne, "because the Supreme court of Ohio upheld it. The Cincinnati authorities told us that the ordinance allowed them to drive crooks out of town when ordinary 'vagrancy' charges would fail."

Text of Ordinance.
Following is a copy of the Cincinnati ordinance:
Any person found loitering about any street, alley, avenue, park, or public or private place within the city limits without legal means of support and who, being able to work for the support of himself or herself at honest industry, intentionally lives idle and without endeavoring in good faith to obtain lawful work or employment, shall be deemed a vagrant, and, upon conviction thereof shall be fined not less than \$1 nor more than \$50 for each such offense."

Great Aid to Police.
"An ordinance such as this," said Ald. Kimball, "would operate independently of the present vagrancy measure and would be a great aid to the police in getting rid of undesirable."

The subcommittee will ask the council to refer the proposed ordinance to the police committee.

Mayor Expected Back
from New York Today

Mayor Thompson is expected to return today from his latest vacation. He went to New York a week ago, but no information has been available at his office as to the reason for the trip. There has been a rumor that the mayor went east to look into subway matters, but this was discredited, as the question now is before the city council on a bill to amend the law relating to the subway.

BEG YOUR PARDON! PERMITS CROWD NEWER SCHOOLS, ROOM IN OTHERS

Political Favoritism
Under New Board
Rule Has Bad Effect.

High school principals have agitated a return to the no permit situation established a year ago, but suspended by the new board. The newer high schools have been seriously overcrowded because students from other districts have been given permits to attend them. For the same reason the attendance in the older schools has diminished.

During the present school year there have been many hundred more permits issued than ever before. In most cases the early requests have all been granted, but as soon as the school became filled only those who could get a politician to plug for them secured permits. Many of the district superintendents, who have charge of permits, have refused to grant them to crowded schools except on a special order from Supt. Shoop.

Here's One Situation.
At the Hyde Park high school many children only a mile from the school have been sent to the Bowen high school several miles farther away, with two street car transfers necessary to reach it, while other children near the Phillips high school, able to secure permits, have been granted permission to attend the Hyde Park school. The boundaries were changed last summer with the excuse that there was a desire to fill the Bowen school.

Supt. Shoop explained his mysterious disappearance on Monday. He said he had gone away "to concentrate."

"I never go away except when I want to concentrate," he said. "I was in the building, but was very busy. I can't be bothered by having people running in all the time. There was nothing extraordinary about it at all."

Went to Criticism Heavily.
Mr. Shoop was asked if he was satisfied with the gag rule imposed by President Davis on the educational department.

"I won't criticize my superiors," he replied.

One of the \$7,000 a year men said he had a story.

"If you'll wait," he said, "until I tell my stenographer to tell the office boy to tell Miss Clement to ask Mr. Shoop to ask Mr. Davis to report back to Mr. Shoop to report to Miss Clement to tell the office boy to tell my stenographer to report to me I'll give you a little story about a patriotic girl."

DR. R. H. BROWN DIES AFTER A SWIM IN TANK

Dr. Richard Hunt Brown, 55 years old, of 5327 Race avenue, specialist in diseases of the eye, ear, nose, and throat, with offices in the Chicago Savings Bank building, fell unconscious after swimming in the Central Y. M. C. A. at 19 South La Salle street yesterday afternoon and died shortly afterwards without regaining consciousness. Death is believed to have been due to heart disease.

Dr. Brown was born in New York City in 1862. He attended Franklin college, Franklin, Ind., where he was graduated from the college of Physicians and Surgeons, Chicago, in 1891. He married Miss Elva L. Powers in Fremont, O., in 1893. Since 1891 he had practiced medicine in Chicago.

Dr. Brown was a member of the Chicago Medical society, the Illinois State Medical society, and the American Medical association. He was a member of the Illinois Athletic club.

Landis Goes to Bottom
of Liquor Sale to Jackie

Federal Judge Landis yesterday ordered three bondsmen for Mrs. Hatlie Burgett of 715 North Clark street brought into court today, to explain why they had charged \$125 for signing the bond. The woman will appear today to face charges of selling liquor to saloons. Two of the bondsmen are Maurice Hennessy, a north side saloon-keeper, and George W. Doe.

He also ordered that the books of the Conrad Selp Brewing company be brought in to show how much beer had been delivered at the Burgett flat. A charge of keeping a disorderly house has also been made against Mrs. Burgett as a result of the arrest, on Dec. 15, of William Bigger, Jackie, and Helen Parmelee, domestic employed in the Burgett home.

Landis Refuses to Free
Collection Agency Man

Benjamin Bachrach, attorney, appeared before Judge Landis yesterday and asked to have released an indictment returned five years ago against Joseph Stevens, formerly of the Bar-Widen company, a St. Louis collecting agency, charged with using the mails to defraud.

Stevens was fined \$2,500 and sentenced to two years in Leavenworth penitentiary. He has served three months of the term. The court denied the motion.

NO DRY GAINS; BOARD MAY DEFEY ANY INJUNCTION

Supreme Court Only One
Commissioners Are
Likely to Obey.

Chicago dries failed to make any salvage in the second stage of the dry petition check, that tends to keep their petition alive. The final check-up of the names claimed by the wets as not registered was completed last night. The tactical victory lay quite with the wets.

Of the 44,279 names objected to as "not registered" by the wets, the count was completed last night and verification against the original petition made of 43,948 names. One thousand two hundred and thirty-one names were taken over for a second verification. Of the 43,948 checked up, 42,134 were found to have been properly copied by the wets and to be "not registered." Nine hundred and four were found to have been improperly copied and made a net gain of that number as against the 952 "not registered" dry shortage that was reported as the result of the first checkup Saturday night.

Check to End Today.
The dries may make further gains from the 1,331 cards that are held over. There are 164 additional signatures to the petition that the dry petition on the showing of the checkup that will be ended within thirty-six hours. They do not admit it publicly and formally, but they have prepared legally and technically to go into the courts to attempt to keep the saloon question on the April 2 ballot. The dry statement is that they believe that the election board will not hold the petition invalid.

Lawyers Call on Egan.
Two of their attorneys, Robert McMurphy and F. B. Ebert, however, made an official call late yesterday afternoon upon Chief Clerk J. Egan of the board of election commissioners. After the call Mr. Egan said that there is no question but that immediate court action is contemplated by the dries.

Mr. Egan, it is understood, told the dry lawyers that the election commissioners will not recognize any injunction that may be brought by the dries. To force the election board to prevent the local option proposition from being taken from the ballot, he showed the copy of a formal opinion given by Attorney Fyffe of the election board, that held that injunction is purely a chancery proceeding and can only be issued where property rights are involved, and that, while he was making no defenses now, he doubted much whether the county court and the board of election commissioners, sitting as the election controlling body, would pay court shall have jurisdiction, as has been intimated may be sought by the dries.

Mr. Egan called to the attention of the dry lawyers the famous Seventh regiment prohibition convention case, in which the County Judge John E. Owens took command personally of the ex brigade and smashed in Col. Moriarty's big doors for a Democratic county convention, in defiance of a superior court injunction.

Act Frequently Cited.
So far as group goes, it is a delicate question at the city hall, whether the election commissioners will recognize the local option proposition, as in the case of the County Judge John E. Owens took command personally of the ex brigade and smashed in Col. Moriarty's big doors for a Democratic county convention, in defiance of a superior court injunction.

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The local option act is repeatedly cited in discussions as to legal probabilities, especially the part where it says that the local option act is a law of the state, and that the local option act is a law of the state, and that the local option act is a law of the state.

The inside impression is that only a competent order from the Supreme court of Illinois can check the local option act, and that the local option act is a law of the state, and that the local option act is a law of the state.

The majority of the attorneys Monday night were for the injunction proposal. If this was successful, the pre-injunction forces said, the wets would be compelled to make a positive affirmative proof in a court of record that the dry petition was not good.

Depend on Dillon Case.
The lawyers who favor starting mandamus proceedings rely largely upon the Supreme court opinion in the Dillon case from La Salle county, which, they contend, deprives the election commission of the right to make any examination of the dry petition whatever or from attempting to pass judgment upon the validity of the petition.

The prospect is that the real legal fireworks will start late today or tomorrow, dependent upon when the final check of the 6544 names cited in additional classifications by the wets as clearly "bad" is completed. This, Mr. Egan said, should be through by tonight.

SCARLET FEVER AT JUVENILE HOME.
A boy at the juvenile home was found to have scarlet fever yesterday and was removed to the city hospital. The home has been under quarantine.

BANKS' INTEREST IN TREASURY NOTES GROWS

Larger Percentage of U. S. Institutions Buys Last Issue.

If reports of all the national banks of the country make an exhibit such as that of the Chicago banks showing their condition on March 4, Secretary McAdoo's request for subscriptions to the new offering of \$500,000,000 4 1/2 per cent treasury certificates should be liberally met.

The campaign which the secretary started to have the banks set aside each week an amount equal to 10 per cent of the resources for subscription to these certificates, is gradually bringing the matter to the attention of the 28,000 banks of the country, state and national.

The campaign for the last \$500,000,000 was brief, but educational, and it is thought that the continued presentation of the necessity for the banks subscribing to the certificates will result in a still larger degree of cooperation.

Much Quiet Objection.

When the plan of the secretary was first presented a great deal of quiet objection was raised, based on the feeling that the treasury department was undertaking to dictate what the banks should do. Later Mr. McAdoo's motive became better understood and his plan was accepted as a suggestion having the merit of payment on the installment plan instead of one large lump sum. Consideration of this has led to a much better feeling and it appears to be acknowledged that the treasury department, instead of dictating, was but offering a suggestion which would tend to result in the success of the forthcoming loan.

The McAdoo plan will mean the purchase of at least \$3,000,000,000 of certificates before the bonds are issued. This sum of money will have been provided and out of the way, and so far as the money market indicates to this date, there has been no disturbance of normal money conditions.

It will be assumed that the people, when the bonds are offered, will subscribe in the usual manner through the banks, and thus take from the latter the bonds which are now being bought, or rather paid for in advance. Such a conserving of bank resources, it is hoped by financial interests, will only be temporary, though the terms of the next loan will be subscribed for by individual investors.

Increasing Interest Shown.

The announcement from Washington shows how the number of individual banks subscribing for these certificates increased since the offering of Jan. 22. At that time 6,364 banks subscribed for the total of \$2,800 in the country entered subscriptions. With the next offering on Feb. 5 the number of subscribing banks was 12,560, an increase of 77 1/2 per cent. To Feb. 27 offering 14,472 banks subscribed, an increase of over 15 per cent, compared with the number subscribing on Feb. 5.

From Jan. 22, therefore, to Feb. 27, a period of about five weeks, the banks of the country were aroused to the extent that the number of subscribing ones increased 144 per cent. This appears to indicate that the organizations which have been at work among the banks have met with unusual success and also that their efforts were necessary.

FINANCIAL NOTES

THE Keystone Tire and Rubber company reports net profits for the year ended June 30, 1917, of \$54,292. According to a statement made by the president of the company, earnings at the present time are at a rate considerably in excess of this. Net for February was five times greater than that of the same month last year, and sales for the last six months of 1917 show an increase of 184 per cent over the same period of 1916.

Bankers, merchants, manufacturers, exporters, importers, and all others carrying accounts with or for foreign correspondents, either in account current or securities, who have not made application for registration certificates by March 15, as required by executive order of the president, will be prohibited from continuing transactions covered by the order. The federal reserve board authorized federal reserve banks to continue to make application for registration certificates beyond the date originally set, but it is now felt sufficient time has elapsed to enable all concerned to familiarize themselves with the requirements of the law and notice is given that no foreign exchange operations covered by the executive order can be carried on after March 15, 1918, unless a registration certificate shall have been applied for on or before that date.

A special meeting of the New Haven stockholders has been called for March 19 by Nathan L. Amster, president of the Investors' Protective Association of America. At this meeting a special appeal will be formulated and presented to the president and Director General McAdoo for special consideration of additional compensation for the New Haven than that now provided for under the government railroad bill.

The Chicago Junction Railway and Union Stockyard company reports for the year ended Dec. 31, 1917, gross earnings of \$1,736,122, compared with \$1,494,114 in 1916, and net of \$1,405,544, against \$1,093,294. The value of all live stock receipts at the stockyards for the year 1917 was \$430,615,550.

DRY GOODS.

NEW YORK, March 12.—Cotton goods were today with demand very moderate. Yarns were firm and higher. Silks were steady. Some of the lower priced goods were seasonably quiet, with some slow advance in primary market.

CHICAGO BANKS PREPARE THE WAY FOR MAKING THIRD LIBERTY LOAN A SUCCESS

THE banks of the Chicago district are preparing the way for making the third Liberty loan campaign in northern Illinois a triumphal march for flying squadrons and four minute men. They began their work haltingly and with indifferent success. The first issue of treasury certificates in anticipation of payments for the third Liberty loan found buyers in less than one out of six bankers.

The second issue, that of Feb. 8, was participated in by nearly half the banks in this section, and the latest issue, offered Feb. 27, was supported by nearly 75 per cent of the banks in the Chicago territory.

The aim is to place some part of the \$500,000,000 note issue announced yesterday in every bank in the district. As a result of the raising of the note of the Chicago district from \$500,000,000 to \$500,000,000 for this issue, the banks are asked to put into circulation this time 1 1/2 per cent of their resources instead of 1 per cent.

CHICAGO.

	Jan. 22.	Feb. 8.	Feb. 27.
Adams State.....	10,000	10,000	10,000
American State.....	2,000	2,000	2,000
American State.....	5,000	10,000	10,000
Atlas Rch. Nat.	5,000	5,000	5,000
Austin National.....	5,000	5,000	5,000
Austin State Sav.	5,000	5,000	5,000
Austin State Sav.	40,000	2,000	81,000
Bank of America.....	2,000	2,000	2,000
J. I. Bagdikian.....	2,000	2,000	2,000
Bank of Montreal.....	2,000	2,000	2,000
Bank Nova Scotia.....	2,000	2,000	2,000
Bank of St. Louis.....	2,000	2,000	2,000
Birmingham Nat.	10,000	5,000	5,000
Business Nat.	10,000	10,000	10,000
Cahoon T. & S.	2,000	2,000	2,000
Calumet T. & S.	2,000	2,000	2,000
Central Nat.	5,000	5,000	5,000
Central Hyde Park ..	8,500	8,500	8,500
Central Nat.	10,000	10,000	10,000
Cent. Tr. Co. Ill.	515,000	500,000	550,000
Century Tr. & Sav.	2,000	2,000	2,000
Chicago & Sav.	2,000	2,000	2,000
Chicago City B.T.	25,000	15,000	30,000
Chicago City B.T.	100,000	100,000	100,000
Chicago City B.T.	100,000	100,000	100,000
City of Lakeview.....	15,000	15,000	15,000
City of St. Paul.....	15,000	15,000	15,000
City State.....	2,000	2,000	2,000
Commercial Tr.	2,000	2,000	2,000
Commercial Tr.	2,000	2,000	2,000
Com. & Com. N. Am.	500,500	2,532,000	5,000,000
Com. & Com. N. Am.	2,000	2,000	2,000
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AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS
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RESOURCES

Loans and Discounts.....	\$34,378,926.44
Overdrafts.....	4,463.29
United States Bonds, par value.....	1,020,000.00

Bonds and Securities	2,356,229.46
Due from U. S. Treasurer	2,500.00
Customers' Liability under Letters of Credit	1,114,483.99
Customers' Liability under Trade Acceptances	681,577.50
Cash and Sight Exchange	17,100,212.78
Total	\$58,158,393.46

LIABILITIES

Capital Stock paid in	\$ 3,000,000.00
Surplus and Undivided Profits	1,324,025.78
Circulation	90,000.00
Dividends Unpaid	422.50
Cash Letters of Credit or Travelers' Checks	12,810.00
Commercial Letters of Credit Outstanding	970,107.85
Acceptances outstanding	833,885.06
Bills re-discounted with Federal Reserve Bank	3,078,400.48
Bills payable with Federal Reserve Bank	1,100,000.00
Deposits	47,788,741.72
Total	\$58,158,393.46

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 Transfer books will be closed on Saturday, March 9, 1918, at the close of business on that day and will be reopened on Wednesday, April 10, 1918.
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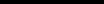
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